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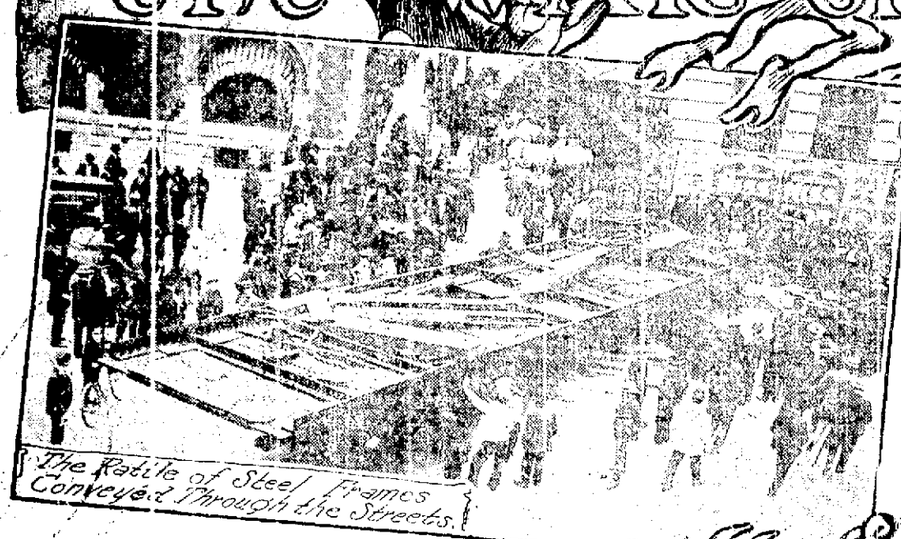
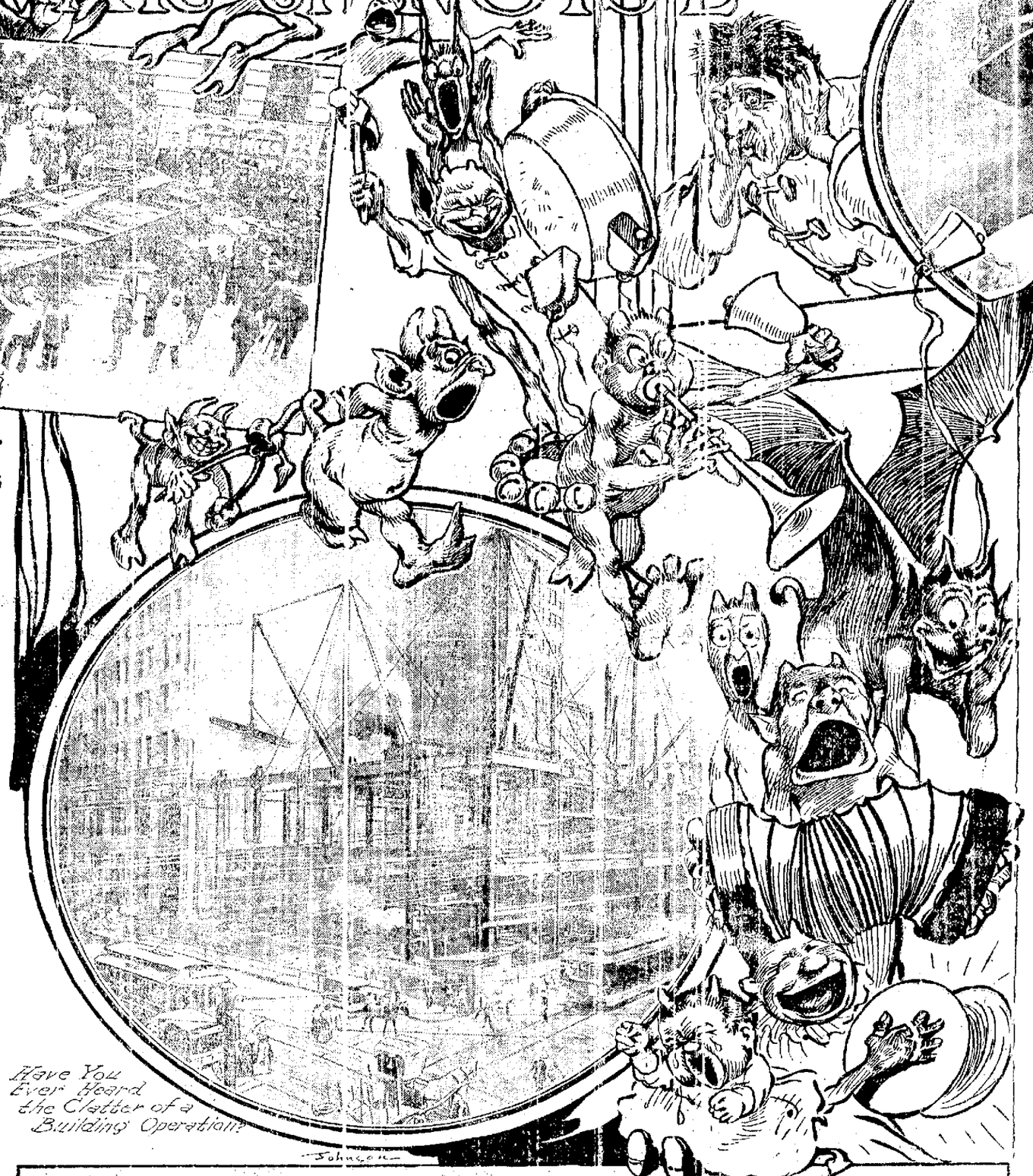
PEACE for the NERVES; or the WAR on NOISE



The Rattle of Steel Frames Conveyed Through the Streets.

Mrs. Isaac L. Rice, Generaliss.mo of the War Against Noise.



Have You Ever Heard the Clatter of a Building Operation?

Or the Din of Steamer Whistles on the River?

The Remarkable Campaign That a Woman is Leading

The Street Fakir Who Makes Life Miserable.

CAMPAIGNING as valiantly as soldiers in the field, the frazzled heroes of humanity are in rebellion. At last an active, widespread fight is on to put an end to the clatter, rumble and roar of unnecessary noises in the crowded abodes of man.

Beginning in New York, headquarters of the evil spirit of hideous din, the war on noise has spread over a large part of this country, and in Europe is enlisting thousands of influential people in its cause.

City life at best is wearing on the nerves, yet city life in a continual uproar of harsh, startling sounds has grown to be almost unbearable to hundreds of thousands. The ears of the nervous hospital patient, the shrinking schoolchild at its desk, the weary men and women in the downtown business houses, pedestrians along the streets and even worshipers in the churches are continually assailed by the fearful din of modern city life.

Is there no relief? That is what a determined band of campaigners against noise, headed by a woman, started out to ascertain some time ago. Since the war on noises has spread with gratifying rapidity, and some interesting results have been obtained.

No hammer fell, no ponderous axes rung;
Like some tall palm the mystic fabric sprung—
Majestic silence. — Heber.

A THUNDER of crashing iron, the grating of steel girders, the deafening clatter of pneumatic hammers, the puffing and roaring of steam engines, the whir of trolley cars, the hoot of automobile horns, the rattle and rumble and roar of a thousand loose-jointed wagons pounding over the streets, the growl of overhead cars—this is the city by day, and night, too.

A pandemonium of noises—noises that continuously beat upon the poor, tired eardrums and gradually wear out one's nerves; that follow you when you retire at night; that boom and whir in your restless dreams; that assail you and make your head ache in the mornings, and crash and rip and rear about you all day long—an incessant, crazy, delirious medley that racks and tears the nerves, wrecks the constitution, weakens the sick and hastens the dying toward their end.

Who really rests in the midst of a big city? How many really enjoy sound sleep? Who knows periods of sweet silence, the blissful calm of absolute repose? Who would not greet the day when city life would run as though on oiled wheels, swiftly, silently, without jar or friction?

A movement which has for its end this millennial condition was started in New York by Mrs. Isaac L. Rice, who is devoting her life to the suppression of unnecessary noise. Most noise, according to Mrs. Rice, is unnecessary.

The crusade for peace to the nerves began about three years ago with a little meeting at Mrs. Rice's apartments on the Riverside drive, in New York city. Mrs. Rice, who had been a poor sleeper herself, realized what the sick in the hospitals alone; the river must suffer from the clamor of boat whistles alone.

She interested a number of influential persons in New York city in her ideas, and the result was the organization at a meeting in her home of the Society for the Suppression of Unnecessary Noise. Among the members were the surveyor of the port of New York, the president of Columbia University, the president of the College of the City of New York, the chancellor of the University of New York, the commissioner of health, an archbishop, several congressmen and many other men of influence.

Along the East river of New York are located two-thirds of the hospitals of the city, among them the Bellevue Ward and the Manhattan State Insane Hospital.

To silence the uncanny and demoniacal blasts of whistles on the river became the task of the plucky New York woman. "These noises," Mrs. Rice declared, "were a menace both to health and to navigation.

"I contended that all signals given besides those required by statutes were a detriment because they covered or rendered hard to distinguish those necessary for safe navigation, and that there was absolutely no excuse for a tug captain, while leisurely making his way up to the pier, to whistle loudly for half an hour, in order to summon the crew captain or crew from neighboring saloons or from their sleep below decks.

"I maintained that signals could be given noiselessly, except in foggy weather, and that the parties hiring the piers could, for a small sum, hire watchmen to summon those attached to the scows so as to be in readiness for the approaching tugs.

"Sleep would thus not be rendered impossible for a large part of the city's population, to say nothing of the relief thus afforded to the sick and suffering inmates of our municipal institutions along East river.

"At that time it was declared that this being a local nuisance on a federal waterway, it could be suppressed by neither municipal, state nor federal authorities. In other words, there was no one in all the United States who had authority to regulate the size of a whistle nor the manner in which it might be blown, no one to forbid the smallest tub carrying the largest whistle and shrieking it just as madly as possible."

But Mrs. Rice won her first victory over the tugboats. And she did it just this way:

She began to gather evidence with which to justify an amendment forbidding the abuse of noise. With the aid of stop watches a corps of Columbia University students for a week kept tally on the whistling in the harbor, day and night. They listed the names of the vessels by following boats in launches, and according to their reports there were 5000 unnecessary deafening shrieks a night.

Meanwhile many persons laughed at Mrs. Rice, the harbor men snigged, and the noises became all the more intolerable. Mrs. Rice was serenaded by most infernal whistles. Boats assing her home in a conspicuous apartment house on Riverside drive gave vent to wild outbursts of savage glee. One night a boat focused its searchlight on Mrs. Rice's room and all the boats passing joined in a horrible chariv.

A few days ter Mrs. Rice went to Washington and saw e secretary of commerce and labor; she gave h proofs of the noise nuisance, cited the evidence of physicians concerning the week of noise on the nerves and the evil effects in the hospitals. When she returned to New York an order was promulgated forbidding all unnecessary whistling.

But the harbor men still flaunted their defiance. One boat hrieked its whistles wherever it passed a hospital. Mrs. Rice secured evidence and preferred charges against the skipper. He was found guilty by the secretary of commerce and labor and suspended for five days, with a warning that another violation his license would be suspended. Following this, the first test case, we other prosecutions, and the whistling on the ver near hospitals stopped.

But this was only the beginning.

There are other noises in the city than those of steamboats.

THE CONFUSION OF DINS

The city noises—you know them! Trolley cars thumping along, gongs ringing crazily; automobiles flying through the streets with hoarse, ear-splitting horns; rending the air; new buildings going up where steam engines are thumping hideously, hammering, ringing on the steel framework, laborers carrying to one another, teams loaded with girders and stones lumbering into the alleys, rattling to the ground! Noises, of all sorts and kinds, rising in one hideous cacophony. The blowing of whistles and the clanging of bells of factories, trains, boats; the noise made by street venders, creating a din with bells, whistles and cries; of amusement resorts and nickelodeons with phonographs; rattling of loose wagons; noises due to bad paving of streets—the noises arising from a hundred sources to smite the nerves and make both day and night hideous.

With the formation of the Society for the Suppression of Unnecessary Noise in New York an advisory board was elected as follows:

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, president of Columbia University; Dr. Thomas Darlington, commissioner of health; Dr. Charles L. Dana, president of the Academy of Medicine; Dr. J. W. Brannan, president of the Bellevue Hospital board; Dr. Belmont Fairchild, Professor W. H. Thompson, Professor Kirchway, dean of Columbia College Law School; Professor J. Basset Moore, professor of international law, Columbia University; William Dean Howells, Professor Howe, Congressman J. Van Yechten Olcott, Congressman William S. Bennet, Dr. Stedman, editor Medical Record; Captain Norton, editor Marine Journal; Dr. William Hirsch, Dr. George J. Jacoby, Captain Luther R. Dow, of the American Association of Masters, Mates and Pilots; Dr. E. Lederle, ex-commissioner of health.

The campaign was waged valiantly. An alderman became interested and an ordinance establishing "quiet zones" about hospitals was drafted. It was passed by the Board of Aldermen and promptly signed by the Mayor.

Police Commissioner Bingham enforced it; the forbade peddlers to go into the zones, compelled drivers to walk their horses and trolley cars to cease ringing their gongs. The era of peace began in New York, the noisiest city of the world.

So far has the movement progressed in New York that a campaign was recently waged for the passage of an ordinance proposed by Alderman Samuel Mayo, which, if enforced, would

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Murphy's Luck Still With Him

Fortunate That He Obtained Arthur Cunningham in Plays, He Says

By BETTY MARTIN

Few people outside of professional attaches and stray newspaper folk have ever been inside a theater except during a performance. Perhaps it's well that they haven't, for the semi-darkness and empty seats produce an almost uncanny effect. The very atmosphere teems with suggestion, and it does not require a very vivid imagination to people the scene with a ghostly audience. Nor is the effect widely different when a rehearsal is on, for funeral twilight is still the dominant note. Even in that realm of mystery populated by the actors themselves, and commonly known as "the stage," a dim half-light prevails, through which one sees dimly—as in a haze.

This serves to bring one to a realizing sense of what it means to be a player. If one can survive and revel in the experience—love the subtle suggestion conveyed through these surroundings—well and good! For him the stage. And no man can be really a success unless he loves his calling. Which brings me to that famous and now retired actor, Joseph Murphy, come west to superintend the production here of his plays, with Arthur Cunningham a star.

JOSEPH MURPHY.

Moral Bravery.

It requires a sort of moral bravery to attempt to interpret a role made popular through another man's personality and times, especially when that part has been built, year by year, to suit requirements, yet I'll wager that Mr. Joseph Murphy did not err in judgment when he chose Arthur Cunningham as a successor. For one thing, quoting Mr. Murphy, "He can't get away from his brogue." Since a fine, rich brogue is a very essential requirement in "Kerry Gow," that most celebrated of Irish plays, Mr Cunningham is sure of success on that score. A good voice, too, is needed, and there again will Arthur Cunningham score not one, but many points. And the public has not yet ceased to wonder why a man possessing so magnificent a baritone voice as Mr. Cunningham should have decided finally to abandon the operatic stage for a career as actor. Perhaps it's the Murphy luck which has tempted him, for Joseph Murphy is accounted not only one of the richest American actors, but also the luckiest.

Murphy's Luck.

It began long years ago and has danced attendance until now. I do not know if Mr. Murphy is superstitious or not, but it is a curious coincidence that the very first play in which he starred with his own company bore the title "Born to Good Luck." It was first produced at Portland, "and," declared Mr. Murphy, "I've never had one day of bad luck since." Now, Joseph Murphy, as everybody knows, is not by any means a "sere and withered leaf." But, although hale and hearty, it is to be acknowledged that he has passed the length of days prescribed by the eminent and somewhat abused Dr. Osler. Further to the point is this extraordinary circumstance.

"In all my twenty-seven years of traveling, on railroads, in boats, and other methods of conveyance, all over the United States, I've never met with an accident of any kind."

How's that for a kindly Providence? Besides of how much of a wayfarer Mr. Murphy is may be gleaned from his reply to the question "Where do you make your home?"

Old, Old Story.

"Wherever my trunk is. I've built five homes for relatives, but never one for myself."

Another unparalleled record!

My interview with Mr. Murphy was a trifle unsatisfactory and patchy owing to the circumstance that he, barring the maid, was sole auditor to a rehearsal of "Kerry Gow," conducted by Mr. Sheehan, own manager, for twenty-one years, to Mr. Murphy, whose attention was divided between myself and the stage, from which Arthur Cunningham's resonant tones penetrated. Mr. Murphy is as much bound up in the coming production as though it were an initial venture of his own, yet to him it is an old, old story—that of "Kerry Gow."

"You were the author?" I inquired, and Mr. Murphy, candor itself, explained:

"I mapped out the play. Every act, every situation, the story—is mine. But I did not write it. Fred Marsden did that for me. However," he added, "I want to say that I've played 'Kerry Gow' for thirty-two seasons, and have been continually adding and altering the lines, so that not two hundred of them, as originally written, now appear."

Demand for Plays.

"This same statement," he continued, "holds good of 'Shaun Rhue,' although that play is two years younger."

Not less interesting is that which Mr. Murphy has to tell regarding the protection of his play. "Kerry Gow" was played by him until the original copyright ran out.

"Then," said he, "I renewed it for fourteen years more."

That is a marvelous record for what may be termed a "one-man" play, since, after all, it is Joseph Murphy's own magnetic presence which has made for success, rather than any intrinsic merit of the play itself. As to its new lease of life under Mr. Arthur Cunningham, the retired actor had to say.

"Yes. There is a demand for Irish plays at present. This occurs about once in so often—say a period of ten years. The public are tired of many of the things now on hand, and want to see Irish plays."

"There are no new ones, are there?"

"No new ones," came the affirmation, "and actors able to fill the role of an Irishman are hard to find."

Can't Lose Brogue.

"Cunningham," suggested I, moved thereto by a "The divil ye do" or some exclamation of like import, "has a fine brogue."

"And he can't get away from it," responded Mr. Murphy with a smile, proceeding:

"It requires not only a man who can sing and who talks with a brogue, but a man of generous physique—a strong man—deep-chested and broad-shouldered."

It was much of a surprise for me to learn that Joseph Murphy was a native of Brooklyn, N. Y. I had supposed that he hailed from the "ould sod."

"But I came to San Francisco when I was a little fellow," he continued after an unguarded exclamation on my part. "I was only 9 or 10 years old. That was in 1852, before they had any amusements to speak of in San Francisco. There were no theaters then. I received my training at the same time that Lotta Crabtree—the famous "Little Lotta"—and Annie Pixley did theirs."

Was Poor Boy.

"You've always been an actor?" was a question at which Mr. Murphy laughed good-naturedly before answering.

"Not by any means. I was a poor boy, and did all sorts of things before I went on the stage. Swept, washed dishes, ran errands—did anything that came to hand. But always"—this last with emphasis—"I was a good entertainer—could sing, dance, recite and do all sorts of things like that. I was up at Eureka," he concluded, "when I got my first engagement."

This turned out to be in the minstrel business, and for some time Mr. Murphy was a blackface song and dance man.

"I was with Charlie Backus' minstrels for a time, too. I'm fond of vaudeville, also," he explained, "and used to be in that line for a while."

But to the late George Barnes, that old-time San Francisco theatrical critic, whose judgment was usually sound and motives always sincere, did Mr. Murphy attribute the taking of a definite stand in his career.

Took Small Part.

"I took a small part in some performance," he explained relative to this, "and George Barnes praised me very highly, saying I ought never to put on blackface again. I never did," was the conclusion.

Shortly after came that Portland trip, followed by the lick of long years.

It is interesting to know Mr. Murphy's point of view regarding "nickel-odeons." To them he attributes a large falling off in theater patronage.

"The class of people who go there," said he, "want to be amused. Formerly they used to fill the galleries. But no more. Instead, they go to these cheap vaudeville shows—not but I like vaudeville myself—I go whenever I can—I am very fond of it," he interpolated rapidly, "but shows and moving picture shows."

Singer to Travel.

"But they're getting tired of it now," he concluded, "and are beginning to get back to the theater."

"You see, it's this way now. There's not much new in the picture business. If you're a patron of these places, going from one to another, you're pretty apt to see the same picture repeated at different houses."

"Very apt to," I concluded, remembering a happening to the point. And he said:

"It's hard to get new pictures."

After which Cunningham's voice again recalled me, and I asked what the intentions were concerning that gentleman's future movements at the conclusion of Ye Liberty engagement, extending over a period of two weeks.

"He's to travel."

"With his own company?"

"Yes. In that way the public gets better results for its money, and it's less exacting on actors, too."

Terribly Hard Work.

"You see," Mr. Murphy made his point, "to be a stock actor or actress means terribly hard work. Not so hard, possibly, for a man as for a woman. Take the matter of clothes, for example. A man can go to his tailor. A woman has to buy, to plan and often sew on her own dresses. Then there is the learning of lines, rehearsals, evening performances and two to three matinees a week. The life's pretty hard. When a man travels with his own company, instead of going into a stock combination as Mr. Cunningham has here at Ye Liberty, it's another matter. They have their repertoire—one, two or more plays, as the case may be—and the cast is selected with reference to each man's abilities. They can continue to perfect themselves, and not stop to learn new parts all the time."

Will Be in Trust.

Which train of reflection led to an inquiry as to whether Mr Cunningham was to book independently of the trusts, a question which again resulted in audible mirth on Mr. Murphy's part, for he said:

"That would be almost impossible. Bless you, no." Hastening to add that the trust nowadays owned so many theaters that they were finding it a hard matter to get enough good attractions to fill them.

Asked for a picture at the conclusion of his talk, Mr. Murphy said: "Yes, I have one, but not here. I'll send it. You see," he explained, "I don't want to give you an old one, taken years ago, but one that looks like me now."

And in that you have the keynote to Joseph Murphy's character.

BETTY MARTIN.

SOME BOOKS OF THE DAY

REVIEWED BY ADELAIDE SELL BAKER

"Art of the Netherlands Galleries." By David C. Preyer. Published by L. C. Page & Company, Boston.

To the "Immortal" series of works on the art galleries of Europe, published by L. C. Page & Company, a new volume by David C. Preyer is added. This "The Art of the Netherlands Galleries," is a "History of the Dutch School of Painting Illuminated and Demonstrated by Critical Descriptions of the Great Paintings in the Many Galleries."

The book is profusely illustrated, carefully edited, discriminating and instructive in tone without being either carping nor pedantic, easy in style in excellent work for traveler.

The author's aim is best stated in his preface.

"The wonderful and unique art of the Dutch school of the Seventeenth century can nowhere be studied so completely as in the Netherland galleries. It is true that the universal recognition of this peculiarly national art has scattered many treasures broadcast. * * * But the most complete array of the product of this golden age of art as practiced in the Low Lands is found in the Ryke Museum of Amsterdam, with its 2000 paintings of the Seventeenth century, by over 200 artists. These are supplemented by the paintings in the Mauritshuis in the Hague, in the Townhall of Haarlem, in the six collections in Amsterdam, in the Lakenhal in Leyden, in the Hiesgracht collection in The Hague, in the Boymans Museum in Rotterdam, and in various smaller museums. * * * It is obvious that to describe the art of the Netherland galleries we cannot follow the method of the other volumes in this series on the art of European Galleries, each devoted to only one gallery, where a critical view of the artist may be combined with a description of the paintings as they are met on the market. To adopt this method here would entail needless biographical repetition and confusion of scattered details. * * * The method which I have, therefore, been compelled to adopt is to describe the art in the Netherlands along the historical line, and to speak separately of the men who created this art. This will furnish, incidentally, a complete history of Dutch art, from its earliest inception to the youngest men of the present day—a history which has not before appeared in English, nor even as complete, in Dutch. That there might be some advantage in such a history is palpably evident when we consider that many art lovers in America at least, are more familiar with third and fourth rated Italian and French painters than with second, or even first rated Dutch artists, both old and modern."

"The Mascot of Sweet Briar Gulch." By Henry Wallace Phillips. Published by the Bobbs-Merrill Co.

Mr. Phillips is, perhaps, more widely known through his story entitled "Red Saunders" than any other of his works.

"The Mascot of Sweet Briar Gulch" will not detract from the author's reputation, for it introduces the reader to a real man, of the flesh and blood variety, not the artificial product of a novelist's brain. James Felton, "Jim" to his friends, is first discovered in downcast mood.

Sitting on the doorstep of his cabin in the brilliant sunshine, "He looked at the gulch and cursed it manfully and bitterly. The gold should be there—Jim had figured it all out. The old wash cut at right angles to the creek, and at the turn was where its freight of yellow should have been deposited. But when you got down to the bed rock the blasted stuff was either slanted so nothing could stay on it, or was rotten—crumbling in your fingers, and that kind of bed will hold nothing."

"Therefore Jim had sunk about fifty prospect holes; got colors under the grass-roots, as evidence that pay should be there and nothing but ashy wash beneath it."

In addition was a letter, read for the thousandth time. Of course it was from the "only girl," who refused to share Jim's fate until he could at least offer assurance of "enough to live on."

Jim is aroused by "Bud," the sportsman, who gives wholesome advice to this effect.

"Jump it for a spell. Go up town. Get loaded. Get horribly loaded. Break somebody's window, and tell the folks you're a Sweet Briar zephyr come to blow out their lights. Go ahead and do it. When your hair stops pulling you'll feel like a new man."

Jim thinks the advice sound, and, backed by substantial evidence of Bud's good intentions through an unsolicited loan of the wherewithal, proceeds to visit the nearest town, fifty miles away.

Here he encounters a little waif, befriends him, and takes him under his protection. The youngster apparently brings good luck, for Jim's courage revives, and he sets to work with renewed vigor, finally gaining his reward in another letter, whose closing paragraph reads:

"Any time, or any place, and no conditions now. Jim. That's all, my dear brave love. Good night. Your own,

"ANNE."

And then, concludes the story, which, incidentally, takes less than an hour in the reading—"It was a beautiful and happy world."

There is not one false note in this story, nor straining after effect, and the simplicity of telling is not the least of its charms. The illustrations are by F. Graham Cootes.

"Health and Happiness," or "Religious Therapeutics and Right Living." By Reverend Samuel Fallows. A. C. McClurg & Co. Price $1.50.

So immediate was the demand for this book that it reached a second edition in less than one month from the date of original issue. Its subject matter deals largely with Bishop Fallows' personal experiences in line with the Emanuel movement originating with Dr. Elwood Worcester and Dr. Samuel McComb of Boston, whose endeavors to unite the efforts of physician and clergyman toward healing the ills of mankind has awakened widespread interest.

"Our aim," defines Dr. Fallows, "is to bring health and happiness to the afflicted and more efficiency to those who are well, to drive out fear, various forms of depression, worry, want of confidence and the like from the mind and the heart, to magnify the love and tenderness and sympathy of God, to carry forward the benign work of the homologic drug, the lines of re-education and right living according to the individual needs of each patient."

The results already accomplished are claimed to be little short of marvelous, and the work is cramped for want of efficient practitioners. For not every clergyman, according to Bishop Fallows, is fitted by nature to co-operate in this healing work. " . . . in a very important sense clergymen must be soul physicians; that their field of usefulness will be greatly enlarged if they understand psychology and enough of the nature and growth of the physical organism and nervous system to work intelligently with the physician."

In his introduction Dr. Fallows calls attention to the fact that the movement in which he is a leader is by no means new. "The scientific mental healing of today was crudely foreshadowed by some of the usages of ancient Egypt. Savage, semi-civilized natives, in one form or another, have given characteristic expression to the principle behind this form of treatment."

Religious therapeutics, states the doctor, based on sound psychological principles, proceeds upon well-defined premises.

First, we recognize, according to common experience and the inspired teachings of the Bible, especially of the New Testament, that man possesses a mind and a body.

Second, we affirm most emphatically the value of anatomy, physiology, biology, bacteriology, histology and the like in promoting the health of the race.

Third, we recognize that there is a distinction between functional and organic diseases, and that one may yield directly to psychic or spiritual influence, and the other indirectly through surgical or medical means.

Fourth, we assert the absolute necessity for the work of the physician, and give full value to the splendid efforts of the medical profession in furthering the health and welfare of the race.

Many examples, showing methods of treatment, are given, and a "Litany of Health" constitutes the closing chapter of this remarkable book from the pen of the celebrated Episcopalian, whose church is daily crowded to the doors and whose fame has increased ten fold since beginning this work.

"Family Nursery Jingles"—Ethel Franklin Betts. Published by Frederick A. Stokes Company, New York.

Mother Goose rhymes are as essentially associated with children as the doll, the tin soldier and the mud pie. There may be individuals who have attained to maturity and wisdom without acquaintanceship with Jack Spratt and Simple Simon, but these persons have never experienced real childhood, nor have they been properly educated.

Every year, as Christmas approaches, more or less fascinating new editions of the delectable old verses appear among the books. One of the most beautifully gotten up of this winter's is an arrangement by Ethel Franklin Betts which she has labeled "Familiar Nursery Jingles." The covers, print and paper are very satisfactory, while the illustrations (which, by the way, are the work of the author) are both quaint and unusual.

"Card Club Records" — Published by Brewer, Basse & Co.

Nothing more appropriate than this book could possibly be devised for devotees of social games of cards.

Handsomely bound, with marginal illustrations of kings, queens and knaves, in red and black. A small portion of this book is given over to explanation of the most popular card games, such as Whist, Bridge and Five Hundred.

But by far the larger number of pages are devoted to records. That is, there is space above for the name of the card club, and date of holding, followed by the name of the hostess. Next, the game itself finds place, followed by all its details, such as high, low, and personal score, also the number of games played, together with spaces for noting names of prize winners and any remarks incident to the affair.

"Carlota"—By Frances Margaret Fox. L. C. Page & Co., publishers.

This story of the San Gabriel Mission, although designed for youthful readers, is equally entertaining to "grown-ups." There is abundance of "local color" in "Carlota," and the truthful ring of this Southern California tale makes a very pleasant and convincing recital.

An insight into the history of the old missions is gained through the Padre's stories to Jimmie Radcliffe and his sister, Mary Louise, who, under the protection of the priest, live at one of the missions of them all—San Gabriel.

Carlota is a little neighbor girl, daughter of the Spanish Don Alisandro Del Villar, who lives in stately grandeur on his ranche numbering thousands of acres. The little girls became fine friends and through Carlota Mary Louise learned much of the curious and fascinating California customs. It was in 1846 that the story opens, and at its close the country has been transferred to Uncle Sam's keeping. But meanwhile stirring things happen, for once Carlota is seized by a robber and borne toward mountain fastnesses, escaping when a band of men, captained by Mary Louise's Uncle Jack, came upon the scene. And the little American girl herself comes upon exciting adventures, such as meeting a live bear. As for Jimmy, he is a sure enough hero, having had a finger in that well known powder business which caused so much speculation at the time. Carlota is not only an entertaining book, but carefully illustrated as well.

"Jack Harvey's Adventures," or "The Rival Campers Among the Oyster Pirates."—By Ruel Perley Smith. Published by L. C. Page & Co., Boston.

A new addition to the "Rival Campers Series," by Ruel Perley Smith, comes in the shape of "Jack Harvey's Adventures," or "The Rival Campers Among the Oyster Pirates." This series for boys, while it satisfies the natural craving of strong young imaginations for adventure, sports, combat and excitement in general, is commendable, in that it holds up no cheap and lurid ideals and at the same time is not at all badly written, despite mild exaggerations of one sort or another. Like most books of this class, the characters possess little complexity. They are either, as a rule, thorough villains or tremendously good fellows. Young people, as the author apparently knows, usually place actions as entirely black or entirely white.

The setting for this new volume is on the water. Jack Harvey, a fine fellow in all, mentally and physically, has come to Baltimore to see his parents off for Europe. Shortly after the great liner with Mr and Mrs. Harvey on board has steamed out of sight, Jack, by the clever ruse of a waterfront crimp, is shanghaied and put on the Dug-eye Brandt.

The Brandt is an oyster boat. Her captain pays no attention to law, poaches on private preserves, secures his crew through either violence or trickery and treats the men with the utmost brutality. The work is of a character to [illegible] Escape from [illegible] discovers, is very dangerous undertaking. Of course, so [illegible] this hero is [illegible] but the expe[illegible] through b[illegible] and his [illegible]

Peace For the Nerves; or War on Noise

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But such a movement, which must have such far-reaching results, could not be expected to confine itself to New York.

Chicago undertook to stop unnecessary fires. Organ men were forbidden to play within 500 feet of a school, church, library or hospital. Alderman Bowie proposed that the blowing of whistles, ringing of bells and making of noises to attract trade be prohibited. The owner of a 5-cent "palace of amusement" was arrested, the noise-making machine was ordered muzzled.

In Cleveland Health Officer Friedrich proposed an ordinance which would forbid piano playing before 10 o'clock in the morning. Kansas City followed with an ordinance to prohibit noise. In St. Paul the use of automobile horns in the streets between the hours of 8 p. m. and 6 a. m. was forbidden.

In New Bedford, Mass., some of the largest mills suspended the blowing of whistles. In Altoona, Pa., Mayor Hoyer issued an order prohibiting the use of phonographs for advertising purposes. The chief of police of Harrisburg, Pa., limited the ringing of the bells of venders and ice-cream peddlers to certain hours, forbade the playing of strange bands within the city, and stopped entirely the playing of phonographs advertising moving-picture shows.

In Washington, D. C., special squads of bicycle policemen were assigned to go after the makers of noise and bring them to justice; garbage collectors were ordered to place materials in their receptacles to deaden the sounds, while the rattling of milk cans and bells in the early morning was interdicted.

The campaign against noise was taken up in many other cities, among them Detroit, Mich.; Reading, Pa.; Bar Harbor, Me.; Norfolk, Va.; Oklahoma City, Waco, Texas; Montclair and Newark, N. J.

But the movement has not been limited to this country. In Germany Dr. Theodore Lessing headed a similar crusade. The Society for the Improvement of London made the suppression of noise its feature of its work, and a campaign has just been waged against the drivers of motor buses. Sir Theodore Martin and Thomas Bowden Green are doing active work in abating the noise nuisance. In the small hamlets of Switzerland the inhabitants are seeking to still noises; in Paris people are enthusiastic over the movement; in Rotterdam they were organizing a society.

That noise is responsible for thousands of nervous breakdowns is emphatically stated by many physicians. Nothing is so harmful to a person in an exhausted nervous condition as noise.

A story is told of a man who left New York because of the tumult of the city. While on his way to London in a steamship he nearly lost his mind because of the clatter. In London he improved, but when he got to Paris for ten days, when that city brought on a relapse; he became ill in Berlin, but at Weimar he felt he had come to a paradise—all was still. The trees scarcely stirred. The birds sang in a subdued tone. Once a rooster crowed. He shot it. Life proved an peaceful for ten days, when an uncontrollable desire took hold of him.

With grip and baggage he started for New York. Loneliness haunted him. Arriving in Manhattan he got apartments in a hotel in the noisiest district along Broadway and set at the window exulting in the tumult.

Possibly mankind like the New Yorker, should grow weary of too long silence. But so long as we lose our temper and we force because of the unnecessary and continuous interpo of sound, the efforts of the opponents of clatter and din will be watched with deep interest.

He Gets Wife's Estate and Sends Children To POOR-HOUSE

With Frayed and Frazzled Clothes

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—W[illegible] will of Mrs. Sarah R. Ba[illegible] offered for probate before S[illegible] Thomas. Lawyer Edmund J. [illegible] will make motion to set it [illegible] the ground that the testatrix [illegible] mentally capable of disposing [illegible] property and had been undu[illegible] enced.

Mrs. Barnett died last M[illegible] after giving birth to a chi[illegible] lived with her second husban[illegible] R. Barnett in a handsome [illegible] Westchester avenue, in We[illegible] village. He was her second [illegible] and a cousin of her first, als[illegible] Barnett. By whom she ha[illegible] daughter and a son, Peary, [illegible] nie, 7, Anna, 5, and Regina, [illegible] estate left her by her first [illegible] was valued at about $10,000. [illegible] dren were given every luxury.

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Patrick Mullen, the father [illegible] Barnett, has taken Peary, the [illegible] child, to his farm at Hampto[illegible] ton, N. Y., where he was livin[illegible] tirement. About three weeks a[illegible] daughter's death he came to Ne[illegible] with the intention of taking h[illegible] girl grandchildren to his New [illegible] farm, and learned from neighbo[illegible] the little girl had been take[illegible] in what was described as the [illegible] wagon." Further inquiry resu[illegible] the discovery that the childr[illegible] been taken bare-headed and wr[illegible] dresses frayed and frazzled [illegible] them the appearance of poverty [illegible] office of the Department of C[illegible] where the declaration was m[illegible] the stepfather that he was un[illegible] support hen[illegible] He made a de[illegible] $2, and the children were decl[illegible] be paupers and were committe[illegible] Ann's Home in Peekskill.

There they were found by [illegible] grandfather after a two weeks' [illegible] and taken to the farm. The fo[illegible] dren will appear in the Surr[illegible] court.

One week after the will o[illegible] Barnett was made the records [illegible] that Barnett executed a mortg[illegible] the Westchester avenue property for $1,500 to Charles E. Jones of Utica. The will was filed in the Surrogate's office on July 8. Six weeks ago Barnet sought to negotiate a mortgage for $3,000, which was blocked by Lawyer Tinsdale, who had been retained to guard the interests of the children. The Surrogate appointed Mr. Tinsdale special guardian of the minors, and in this capacity he will seek to have the will set aside.

HOW IS YOUR DIGESTION?

Mrs. Mary Dowling of No. 225 Eighth avenue, San Francisco, recommends a remedy for stomach trouble. She says: "Gratitude for the wonderful effect of Electric Bitters in a case of acute indigestion, prompts this testimonial. I am fully convinced that for stomach and liver troubles Electric Bitters is the best remedy on the market today." This great tonic and alterative medicine invigorates the system, purifies the blood and is especially helpful in all forms of female weakness. 50c at Osgood Bros.'

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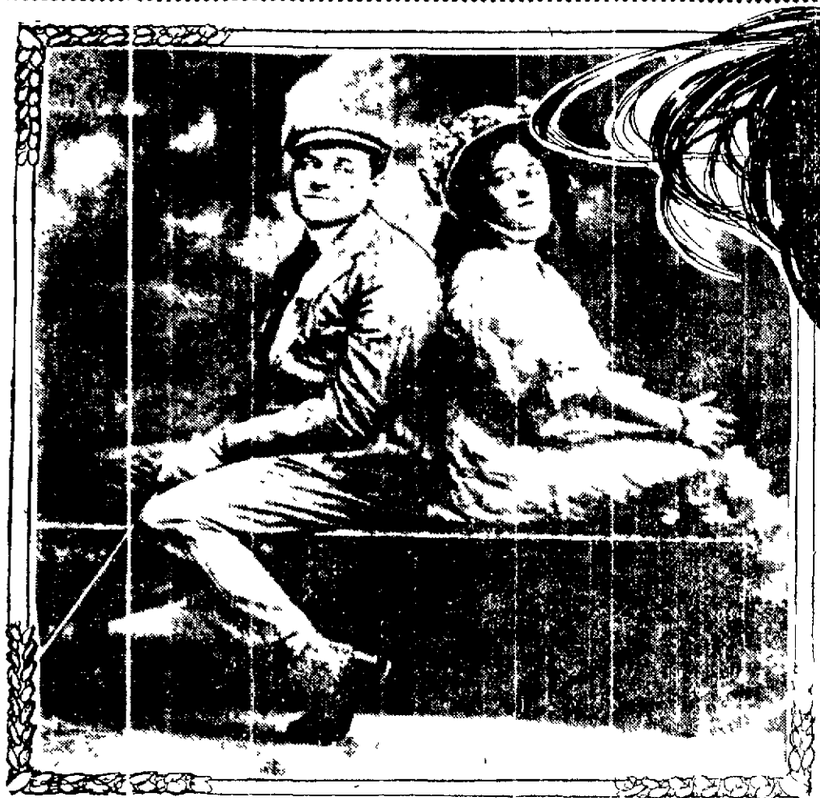

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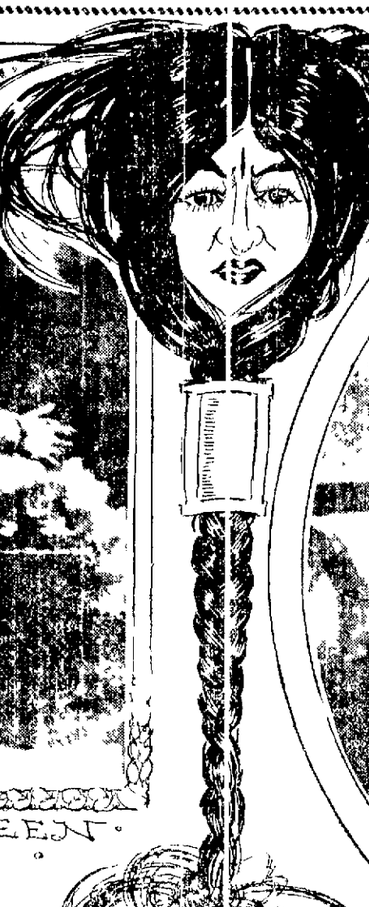

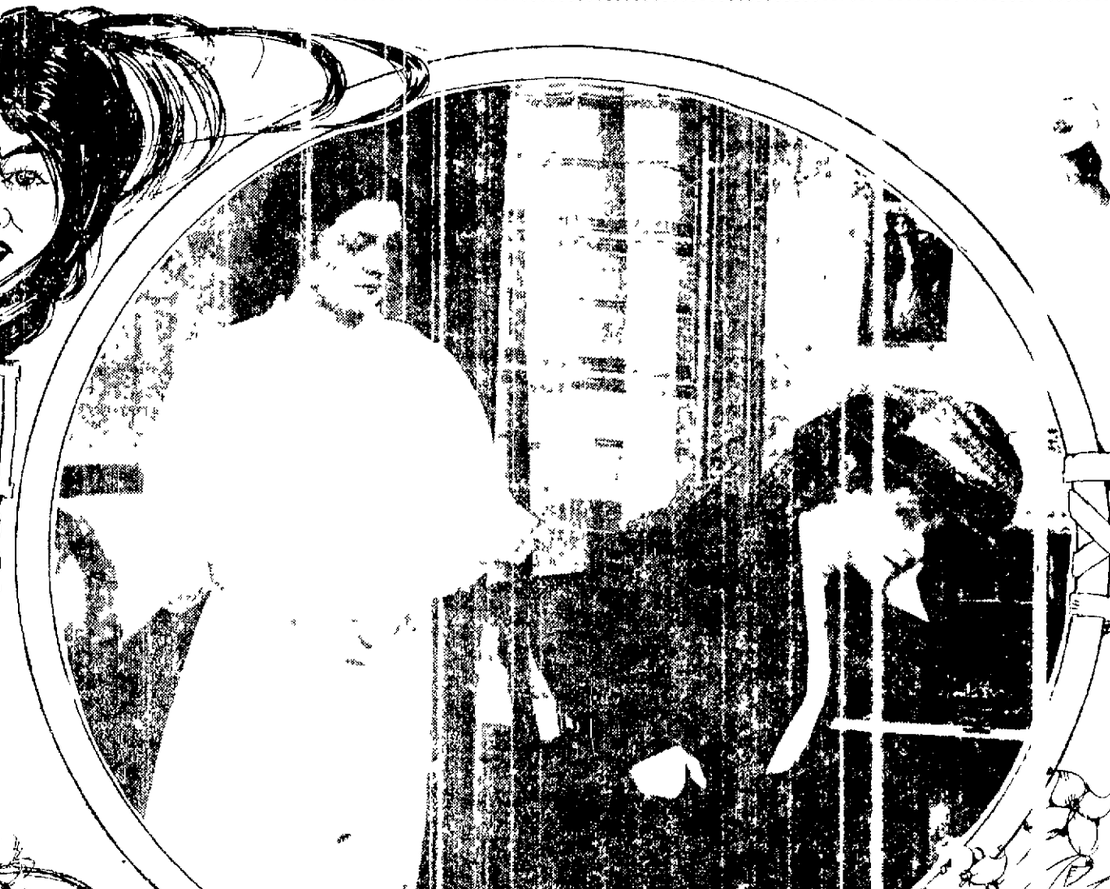

LIND IN THE DANCE OF THE FIVE SENSES AT THE BELL

ROSE STAHL (SITTING) AND EVA DENNISON IN "THE CHORUS LADY" AT THE MACDONOUGH

ARTHUR HARTMAN, VIOLINIST

ALFRED CALZIN, PIANIST

MAX FIGMAN IN THE SUBSTITUTE AT THE MACDONOUGH

ARTHUR CUNNINGHAM IN "JERRY GOW" AT YE LIBERTY

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PROGRAMS OF THE WEEK

MACDONOUGH--Matinee and tonight, Max Figman in "The Substitute." All the week Rose Stahl in "The Chorus Lady."
ORPHEUM--Advanced vaudeville.
THE BELL--Refined vaudeville.
YE LIBERTY--"The Kerry Gow."
NOVELTY--Vaudeville.
AMERICAN--"The Honeymooners."

MACDONOUGH

Wholesome fun and laughter in the kind that makes the world look right to all mankind will be the order of the hour for the Macdonough today. Sunday matinee and night when Max Figman presents his new comedy success, The Substitute, by Beulah M. Dix and Evelyn Greenleaf Sutherland, who wrote that strange though fascinating play, The Road to Yesterday. Max Figman made many friends in this city on his clever portrayal of The Man in the Box. He is one of those actors who improve on acquaintance and who takes his vocation seriously and always puts forth the best that is in him. The public realizes this and hence his popularity. Mr. Figman brings this time a decided novelty which is said to be full of quality. It affords opportunity to demonstrate his real merits as an actor as well as a comedian.

Mr. Figman will be supported by a company including Messrs. Charles Lowan, Ernest C. Wade, Sidney P. Frank J. Kirks, Hugh Dillman, Stanley Wood, Herbert Charles, Harry Lyman, Ernest Meck, Roy Ryceford, Jack Leary and the Misses Lotta Robertson, Ethel Martin, Lay Wheeler, Agnes Lorett and Myrtle Tannehill.

Mr. Figman comes under the management of John Cort, who produced this season the Aborn contours of Cole's Florence Robert, Mude Fealy and the comic opera novelty, The Alaskan. The Substitute is the most costly and elaborate production Manager Cort has yet made for Max Figman. The regular matinees will be given at Sunday prices.

Rose Stahl

Coming direct from her record breaking engagement at the Van Ness Theater in San Francisco, Rose Stahl will be seen in Oakland for the first time in "The Chorus Lady." James Forbes's remarkable comedy of stage life at the Macdonough theater tomorrow (Monday) night for an engagement of six nights and Saturday matinee.

The phenomenal record of this play, which was attested by the record breaking engagement in the East for two seasons, is one that has astounded theatrical managers and public alike for the past two seasons.

"The Chorus Lady" has been presented for ninety-four consecutive weeks to record breaking business.

The story of the play revolves around the central figure of Patricia O'Brien, the chorus girl who is in love with Dan Mallory, owner of the racing stable in which her father, Patrick O'Brien, is employed as trainer. She comes home after her company has been stranded and finds that Mallory, through reverses on the track, has been forced to take a partner, Dick Crawford, a rich young man about town. She observes that Crawford is paying marked attention to her pretty young sister, Nora, and divining his evil intent determines to remove Nora from his influence. The second act takes the action to the chorus dressing room of a New York theater, where a half dozen young women are preparing for a musical performance. Nora, through a propensity for getting on the nerves of everyone involved, herself and the girls, and would be followed Crawford to extract herself from the clutches of him, gold on her. The unexpected coming of Mr. and Mrs. O'Brien to visit their daughters, precipitates a complication which becomes more complicated in the third act, taking place in Crawford's rooms, and is finally solved in the fourth act, concluding at a ball given in the Harlem flat occupied by the O'Briens sisters.

Miss Stahl's portrayal of Patricia, a brusque, slangy young woman who, from a world's wise in unselfishness, girlhood, is a remarkable, inspiring and philosophy endear her to all, reflects the best in universally admitted to be one of the greatest in the history of the stage.

In the famous dressing room scene in the second act, which has been powerful factor in the success of the play, will be seen the original Lanvin sheath gowns which started the sheath gown craze when worn at the Longchamps track in Paris last spring. Henry B. Harris has furnished Miss Stahl with a splendid supporting cast, which includes Wilford Lucas, Eva Dennison, Earl Williams, Zelda Leigh, Giles Shine, Thos. Maguire, Madelin Travers, Amy Ives, Amy Lesser, Margaret Wheeler, Annie Ives, Jean French, Lavinia Muson and Alice Clare.

Louis James

It is a rather singular coincidence that the numerical 3 should be almost universally in evidence in recording the birth or death of the world's greatest players, said Wallace Munro, manager of Louis James, who is here in the interests of his starring coming production, Richard Lee Cant, at the Macdonough soon.

For instance, commencing with the immortal Lord William Shakespeare, who was born and died upon the same day in the month April 23. That favorite of kings and queens, great actresses, Nell Gwynn, died in abundance of honors in London. She was born in October 2, 1650 and died October 22, 1730, while not talented successes for courtly favors and professional distinction, the dainty Fanny Kemble was born 1787.

The great Mme. Rachel died January 3, and America's greatest tragedienne, Charlotte Cushman, was born July 23.

The beautiful Sarah Siddons died May 31, 1831.

Edwin Booth was born with a trinity of 3, November 13, 1833, and died June 1893, and strange to behold that great tragedian of all time, Edwin Booth, John Drew, John Barrymore and John McCullough were all born upon the same day of the month, November 13.

Louis James, my illustrious star, was born October.

Another great actor with a trinity of 3s was the famous W. C. Macready, who was born April 3, 1793, and died April 27, 1873.

Edmund Kean died in 1833. John P. Kemble died in 1823, the elder Charles Matthews died in 1835, and Junius Booth died November 15.

The dashing Charles Fechter and the handsome Lester Wallack were both born with 3s. Fechter on October 23, Wallack on December 31.

W. J. Florence made his first saw sight in 1831, and the great Mme. Janauschek in 1830.

Lawrence Barrett was born in 1838 and died in his 3d year. Popular Charles B. Thorne died in 1886 in his 44th year, and the genial John T. Raymond was born in 1836, but died in the 4th year of his career as an actor.

Edwin Adams was another American favorite who was born with a 3, 1834, also that master of the drama, Augustin Daly, 1838. John Stepper Clarke came into existence in 1841, and death took the delightful J. H. Robinson on October 31. J. W. Robinson on February 3, and William Broadhurst on March 23.

Great as an author, profound scholar and accomplished gentleman, Sir Harry Irving was called upon to entertain our discovered country from which he journeyed on travel returns on October 1, and by a fitting singularity he is the 13th member of this distinguished professional to be interred in Westminster Abbey, the burial place of the 3 Kings, the 3 Edwards, the 3 Henrys, the 3 Georges, the 3 Williams, the 3 Pitts, the 3 Foxes, the 3 Pitts, the 3 Pitts, the 3 Pitts

Town and Gown, Ebell, Oakland and Other Clubs Show Great Activity

BY FLORENCE B LANGWORTHY

EVERY week seems to bring forth more and more interesting programs at the various women's clubs. The past week has certainly been a banner one for all the clubs on this side of the bay. On Monday the Town and Gown Club of Berkeley started the ball rolling. Tuesday Ebell and the Twentieth Century Clubs gave fine programs and on Wednesday the Oakland Club gave an equally interesting program.

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EBELL CLUB

The program given at Ebell on Tuesday was presented by Mrs. Dorothea Hayden of Pasadena who read from three acts of Tolstoy's "Redemption" with violin and piano accompaniment by Nathan Landsberger and Mme. Landsberger.

Mrs. Hayden has just returned from a three months' tour through the East where she read before the Sorosis Club in New York and Emerson College in Boston. She has also read before clubs in Denver and Greeley, Colo., in all of which places she met with a splendid reception.

Talented Woman

Mrs. Hayden is a woman of much culture having been a post-graduate course at the Chicago University studying the Greek tragedies and Old Testament under Dr. Richard Moulton of Oxford University. She has a very attractive personality and her reading was thoroughly appreciated by the large audience which filled the auditorium on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Hayden appeared before the Woman's Club at Santa Cruz yesterday afternoon.

Reception Committee

Mrs. Harry Carlton was chairman of the day and was assisted by the following club members:

Miss Eva Cowell, Mrs. Ralph Forney, Mrs. F. L. von Hollis, Mrs. Chas. Smith, Mrs. C. E. Clifton, Mrs. Lily Loeb, Mrs. Ferris Hurd, Mrs. J. G. Allen, Miss Irene Rutner, Mrs. N. Boyd, Mrs. A. F. Nash, Mrs. F. Stratton, Mrs. John Gregory, Mrs. M. W. Mathews, Mrs. P. W. Page, Mrs. V. Waldron, Mrs. C. D. Colvin, Mrs. E. C. Cooper.

Interesting Announcement

On Tuesday afternoon December 1 Professor Nesbit who has been giving a course of French lessons at Ebell during the last six weeks will give a lecture on "The Power of Suggestion before the club members.

Birthday Luncheon

On December 8 Ebell Club will celebrate its birthday luncheon at which only members will be present. The lovers have been limited to 150. Those wishing to reserve a seat should make an early application to the secretary.

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OAKLAND CLUB

The program presented before the Oakland Club on Wednesday was given under the direction of the Travelers' Section of which Mrs. L. P. Crane is curator. The attendance was not as large as usual owing to the very disagreeable weather. Mrs. Nora Kyle gave a very interesting talk upon the trip to the Holy Land and up the Mediterranean. Musical numbers were contributed by Miss Ruette Lynch, Miss Sadie Henderson and Miss Gladys Kent.

Receiving Party

In the receiving party were:

Mrs. B. N. Shoget, Mrs. M. P. Coughlin, Mrs. E. B. Forester, Mrs. A. Hagenburg, Mrs. E. S. Cole, Mrs. O. J. Caldwell, Mrs. F. B. Tyler, Mrs. J. P. Sanford, Mrs. C. A. Young, Mrs. Le Roy Hackett, Mrs. S. C. Mikel, Mrs. A. S. Champlain, Mrs. F. W. Laufer, Miss Beeman.

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ADELPHIAN CLUB

The Adelphian Club bulletin for December is out and shows instead of a lessening of club activities during the holiday season that the various sections have planned a month of many notable lub functions, Christmas and allied subjects occupying prominent place among the leading topics to be treated during the month.

On Saturday, December 19 the first function in the new Adelphian Club building will be held when the regular December union meeting takes place. There is to be a special reception which it is expected will be far enough along to be practically complete by that date. The club bulletin for the coming week is as follows:

Tuesday, 10 a. m.—Music History Section. "Christmas Music." Mrs. H. A. Hebard. Illustrations by Mrs. Gerald Anthony, Mr. Clarence Oliver and members of the Choral Section.

Tuesday, 2:15 p. m.—Art History Section. Modern Sculpture. Mrs. Brooks.

Thursday, 10 a. m.—Current events. Origin of Xmas. English Xmas Customs. In Other Lands, Xmas Celebrations of Contrasting Kinds by a Traveler. Toy Making. The Creation of Dolls, Mrs. J. M. De Witt, Mrs. Nettie Rogers, Mrs. M. J. Plummer, Miss Florence Boyle and others will assist in the program.

Friday, 10 a. m.—Choral section.

Saturday, 2 p. m.—Union meeting. Lecture. "Sights and Scenes in India," by Ford E. Samuel. Illustrated by rare stereopticon views taken by himself. Piano selections, "Mrs. Blanche Ashley."

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ALTA MIRA CLUB

The history section of the Alta Mira Club of San Leandro will meet at the residence of Miss Caroline Anderson. The program given last week at Masonic hall by the club was a very creditable performance and reflected much credit upon the six young ladies who presented the comedy.

Mrs. W. J. Locke was chairman of the reception committee and Mrs. W. T. Jess, presided at the tea table.

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TOWN AND GOWN CLUB

The household economics section of the Town and Gown Club gave a program on Monday afternoon when Dr. Ralph A. Gould was the speaker. Dr. Gould is the United States food testing laboratory expert and his subject for the day was "Let the Label Tell." Mrs. C. L. Biedenbach was the chairman of the afternoon and was assisted by Mrs. Charles Higgins, Mrs. F. L. Lipmat, Miss Blanche Morse, Mrs. F. C. Turner, Mrs. Roy Woolsey.

MRS. FRANCIS H. GRAY
President of the Oakland Club

Last Meeting

There will be only one more meeting of the club this season which will be on December 7 when Miss Blanche Morse and the art section will have charge of the program.

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DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

La Huerta del Oro Chapter D. A. R. are to give a vaudeville tea in the white and gold room at the Hotel St. Francis on Saturday afternoon, December 5. The intention is to have an informal reception between the hours of 2 and 5 with the officers and patronesses receiving. The program will follow at 3 o'clock.

Among those who will contribute to the program are Mrs. L. J. Hengstler, Miss Ellen Page, Mrs. Ward, Dwight Paul Geisen, Mr. and Mrs. G. Cadenasso and Dr. McMunon. The proceeds from the affair will go towards helping in the patriotic work which the chapter hopes to accomplish.

Patronesses and Patrons

The patronesses and patrons of the affair are the Mesdames Fred T. Ladd, John F. Swift, Selden S. Wright, Samuel Holladay, Louis Aldrich, Edwin Newhall, Lide Barth, Shorb, Orville D. Baldwin, Austin Sperry, Inez Shorb, Buck, A. A. Poole, Jane Mattel, Henry Krebbs, Jr., and Messrs. George Sargent, Charles Murdock, O. D. Baldwin and Colonels J. C. Cutler and A. D. Cutler. Mrs. John Mott, regent and Mrs. W. W. Wymore, vice regent, are the leading spirits in the affair.

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SUFFRAGE LEAGUE BANQUET

The Equal Suffrage League of San Francisco is to give a banquet at the Fairmont Hotel tomorrow evening which is called a Thanksgiving dinner. The toasts that will be given are to concern the blessings for which the league feels it has occasion to return thanks.

Subject of Toasts

The following are a few of the blessings to be made the subject of toasts: The National Suffrage Convention, San Francisco Regret to Our Sisters the Suffragettes, The Men Our Friends and Comrades, The Blind Goddess, Her Work in San Francisco, The Four Free States (those in which equal suffrage has been granted), The Club Woman a Good Citizen, The College Woman, The Twentieth Century Woman, The Wage Earning Woman, The Director, a Blessing in Disguise, California.

Those Expected to Respond

Among those expected to respond to the foregoing are: Dr. David Starr Jordan and Professor Lillie J. Martin of Stanford, Professor George H. Boke, Professor Adolph Miller and Professor Max E. Lippa of the University of California, William Keith, Mr. Mary McHenry Keith, Rev. William Rader, George Wharton James, B. Fay Mills, Anita Lewis, James T. Makutte, Albert Flint, Phoebe L. Hayden, Mrs. Amelia True Bell, John W. Sweeney, William J. Finch, Dr. Amy C. Evans, Mrs. L. L. Baldwin, Mrs. Lincoln Rogers, Mrs. Louis Heintz, Mrs. Frank Deering, Mrs. Robert Dean, Mrs. Charles Newman, Miss Lucile Lewis, Miss Kate Ames, Miss Katherine Felton and others.

Organizations to be Present

The following will be among the organizations represented: The Civic League and Professional Woman's League, The Suffrage Amendment Association of Oakland, The Political Equality Club of Berkeley, The Susan B. Anthony Club, The Wage Earners' Suffrage League and officers of different women's clubs.

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ASSOCIATION OF COLLEGIATE ALUMNAE

A luncheon will be given at the Century Club, Sutter and Franklin streets, San Francisco, in honor of Mrs. Evelyn Wright Allen, dean of women at Stanford. Lady Lucy Sprague toastmistress.

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STEWART ORCHESTRAL CLUB

The Stewart Orchestral Club is composed of a company of young people under the direction of Mrs. Stewart, who are planning to give a series of subscription concerts in the near future. Rehearsals are held in the studio of Mrs. Hall Mills every evening. The next rehearsal will be held tomorrow evening.

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TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB

The Women of the Twentieth Century Club gave a tea to their husbands on Tuesday when they presented Charles Dutton, who entertained them and was the feature of the afternoon. Mr. Dutton is exceptionally pleasing in his Chopin interpretations, a number of which he gave up in this occasion. Mrs. George W. Ewert assisted in the program, giving some delight readings.

The committee party included Mesdames Scritch, Mrs. Eddy, Newhall, Mr. H. H. Dobbin, Mrs. J. M. Pettit, Mr. W. Lane, Mrs. H. W. Taylor.

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READERS' CLUB

The Readers Club will meet at the home of the president, Mr. H. Brett Howard, Sutter and Hyde streets, for its December [illegible] The program will consist of a talk by Mrs. [illegible] Hall on the Kim [illegible] and Hall.

The readers and their selections will be as follows:

Mrs. King, "Gertrude of Wyoming," Mrs. King.

Song, "Twilight Time," Mrs. Hall.

Scene from "Kim," Mrs. Samuel Ewert.

Scene from "The Will," Mrs. Ewert, Mrs. Howard.

"The Angel," Mrs. O. M. Bennett.

"An Departure," Mrs. Hall.

"Mill," Mrs. Howard.

"A Christmas Tale," Mrs. Hall.

Mrs. Davis, lecture, "The Poetic Drama in the Development of the Art."

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LAUREL HALL CLUB

A business meeting will be held on Wednesday, December [illegible] at which will be talk by Mrs. [illegible] on the Rev. [illegible] Smith who will [illegible] Fairbanks on Anti-Tuberculosis New Women. There will also be a talk upon this occasion.

On Friday, December [illegible] there will be a meeting of the board of directors.

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WEST OAKLAND HOME

The boys and members of the West Oakland Home are planning for their annual fall show which will be given in the afternoon and evening of [illegible] December. Mrs. A. [illegible], president of the home, with her workers is doing the most genuine work that is done in this worthy charity.

Little Workers

Mrs. W. A. Shirk, the director of the Little Workers' Exchange, which will consist of an interesting feature of the doll show, reports great progress by the little [illegible]. A point of interest in the exchange is the interest the children take in it. It is conducted in the interest of the children, taking and receiving articles they have made to help their mothers and sisters. Very little money actually changes hands. Little Workers' exchange is not the only one of the West Oakland Home. The Little Workers' exchange is the only one which is not [illegible]. Last year it had [illegible] Very little money actually changed hands.

Handsome Donation

One of the handsome donations which have been contributed for the doll show is that made by Charles Hummel. Mr. Hummel has been [illegible] and gathered together dolls from every nation. Twenty-five dolls from every country in the world will be shown. Will [illegible] for all of the [illegible] day.

Splendid Programs

On Thursday afternoon and Friday evening a program of the best music Oakland has will be given. Friday afternoon and Saturday evening the pupils will present the dances of the different nations. A special feature of the program will be a [illegible] dance by Miss [illegible] Allen, [illegible] by the pupils of the [illegible] has the part in charge.

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PROSPEROUS COAL DEALER

Two young men who graduated from Mount Holyoke College in 1900 have earned sufficient fortune in the coal business in Centralia. Mrs. They are Harriet [illegible] and Pauline Dever, sister. In college they distinguished themselves specially in the classes but they prove themselves upon the fact that they are practical women and it was this that led them into the coal business.

Modest Beginning

They began modestly operating only one wagon. Now they are the controlling factor in the trade in Centralia, and have branches in Buckspurt and several other towns. They have more than held their own in competition with long established coal firms managed by men and oddly enough they attribute much of their success to their college training.

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DOCTOR NOW A POLITICIAN

Those who formerly knew Miss Margaret Long, daughter of the Secretary of the Navy John D. Long in the days when Roosevelt was second man in the department would scarcely recognize the famed political organizer, Dr. Margaret Long of Denver. Miss Long took all kinds of degrees at Johns Hopkins, among them an M. D. with the highest honors in her class. She selected Denver to practice her profession, mainly because her sister Helen Long had a tendency to tuberculosis and he hoped the climate would aid her efforts to fight off the disease. Mrs. Helen Long died about four years ago but her sister continued to live in Denver.

DOROTHEA HONGLAN HAYDEN

With the Plays

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Poston will appear for one concert at Native Daughters next Friday afternoon. Later through the entire management of Will Greenbaum and Harry Bishop.

Hartman is among the worlds great violinists. He is not only a virtuoso on his favorite instrument but a gifted pianist, a talent composer and a delightful author having written some brilliant and interesting for the [illegible] magazines.

As a violinist Hartmann is a combination of all that goes to make the great artist. His technique is simply marvelous and he does not depend upon it to make his success. He uses it as an instrument and that end is to interpret the work of the composer. If the composer wanted from the 18th of the Stradivarius rather than the Kubelik he plays with his violin as well as his hand and in this way manages to reach the hearts of his audience which never fail to sway to the magic spell of Arthur Hartmann's bow.

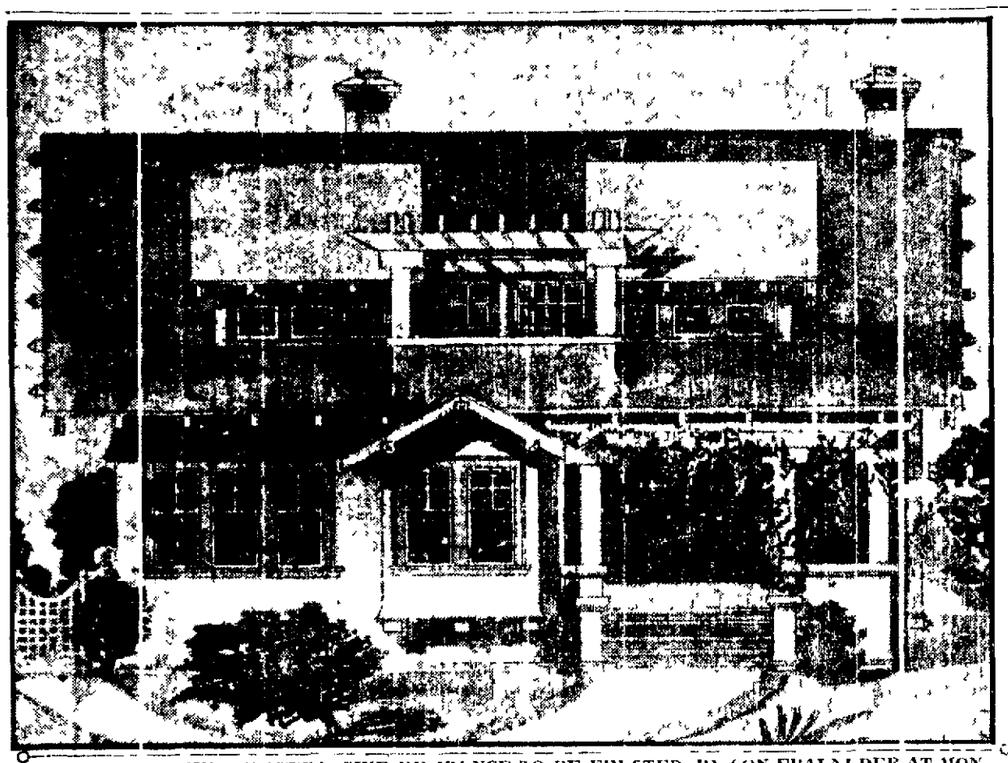
This morning for Friday's concert he will play a brilliant and appealing all tastes. His evening he will play the Tschaikowsky concerto in D minor, a work he often played with the great composer himself and which he made his second national success in the New York Philharmonic.

To the lovers of the purely classic he will give the Bach Chaconne and the Beethoven while for the [illegible] he will play Wieniawski's First [illegible].

In the small numbers on the program will be of his personal interest. The first will be one of Hartmann's transcriptions of a Mendelssohn work, "Cradle Song" and an Old Provençal Hartmann by Arthur Nevin. [illegible] Hartmann by Arthur Nevin, [illegible] Scottish [illegible] and a [illegible] by Ethelbert Nevin and the [illegible] Hartmann's [illegible] Bishop's [illegible] Mr. Hartmann.

With Mr. Hartmann in place of Mme. Gerhardt and Mr. Poston the concert will be a most [illegible] one. It will be a [illegible] for the [illegible] and [illegible] Hartmann is third on the [illegible] and [illegible] Mme. Gerhardt [illegible] Poston [illegible] Mme. Gerhardt [illegible] Russia and [illegible] Hartmann [illegible] Mme. Gerhardt [illegible] Poston will be

GREAT ERA OF BUILDING NOW ON IN COUNTY



PERSPECTIVE OF ATTRACTIVE RESIDENCE TO BE ERECTED BY CONFRAUNDER AT MONTICELLO AVENUE AND PARK WAY, PIEDMONT J. CATHER NEWSOM, ARCHITECT

IMPROVING OF PARK SITE SOUTH OF LAKE MERRITT TO BEGIN SOON

By formally taking possession of the proposed park property at the southeast corner of Twelfth and Fallon streets which was under litigation in the Superior Court but recently awarded to the city the Board of Works has opened the way to grading improvements on the land south of the Twelfth street dam and opposite Lake Merritt. The improvement of this land for a public park will be commenced at once and pushed to rapid completion.

The sign boards which have stood in bold relief along the front of the property have been ordered down and the work of filling in the marsh land with slickens from Lake Merritt and the transforming of the property into a garden bower which will be the envy of all other cities will begin soon.

The Board of Works has taken to razing of the historical building at Twelfth and Fallon streets which in the early 70s was known as "The House of Blazes." This property was owned at that time by a Frenchman named Blaze who run a resort there. It is at present occupied as a residence but as it is on land condemned under court proceedings the occupants will be obliged to move and the building will be taken away in order that proposed improvements in that section of the city can be made.

It was stated at a recent meeting of the Works Board by Mayor Mott that the Ransom-Crummy Construction Company will within a few days, commence the actual dredging of Lake Merritt. The refuse from the lake is to be dumped into the marsh land, the whole to be topped with good earth. Under the contract the company is to receive 9½ cents per cubic yard for the dredging for a depth of six feet. Beyond that depth the contract is 8 cents.

PLAN TO ERECT LARGE STRUCTURE

Many changes are being planned by M. C. Turner, manager of the Fruitvale Lumber Company of Fruitvale to take place in the near future. The building occupied by the company on Fruitvale avenue between the street car and Wheeler avenue will be torn down and a modern two story structure erected on the site.

The proposed building will be a fireproof structure on a concrete foundation and will have a frontage of 100 feet. A thirty foot alley way will divide the interior of the building.

The lower floor will be divided into stores and the upper into offices and a large hall. One of the offices will be occupied by the lumber concern. The building is estimated to cost $6000.

BUSINESS WILL BE STILL GREATER

Buildings Springing up in All Sections, Loans Being Made and Realty Is in Demand.

Work has progressed so far on the new building which is to be erected for Sherman, Clay & Co. at the corner of Fourteenth and Clay streets, that the foundation will be commenced next week. The excavation is now nearly completed. The first of the year is to see other moves toward the erection of many mercantile houses on the ground owned by H. C. Capwell and C. L. H. somewhere in that neighborhood will further north the property recently acquired by Phoebe Hearst will be taken in hand within a short time though no announcement of the plans of the new owner has been made.

The real estate dealers of Oakland are feeling very well satisfied with the situation as the end of the year approaches and they can discuss indications of a New Year which will prove to be a record-breaker in their line and in the general improvement of the city.

Business Good

The approach of the holiday season is marked in real estate circles with a decided improvement in many lines which have not been as brisk as could have been desired during the period of the election excitement. One of the favorable indications is the greater freedom with which money is offered for building loans. It is reported up and down the street that each dealer who makes this a branch of his business is finding capital ready for their clients. This is not only helping the building of building sites but it is giving a stability to the value of all real estate property in this city which is a guarantee of the future.

Capital Ready

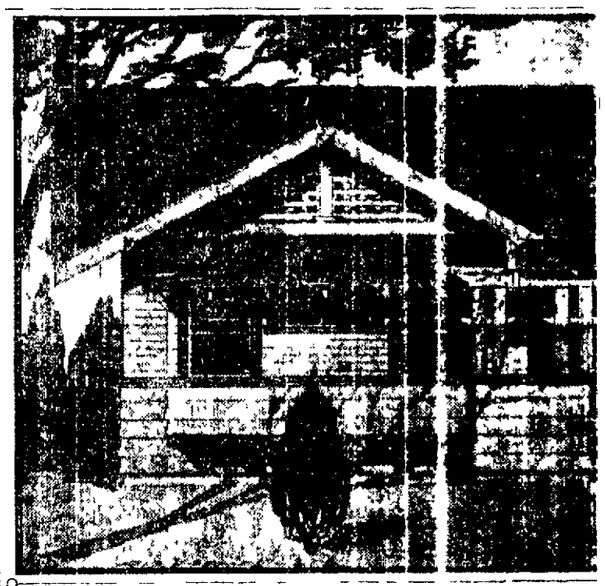
Capital has with its usual caution felt its way and after full investigation is now ready to risk the future of Oakland. This it does by first investing this future for where the dollar is satisfied with the security the borrower is always ready to go to make his investment for the purpose of benefiting by the land advance. Not only that but the purchase outright and for all cash begins a new position of the security of his investment by his confidence on the part of the lender.

The lenders of money on buildings to be erected in Oakland have not been ahead of the dealers in building material in activity during the past week. Reports from the lumber yards show that a larger quantity of lumber and other material have been demanded for use than ever before.

Want Options

While a goodly portion of this building material is going into the city proper there is an increasing proportion being cut out over East Fourteenth street to the rapidly developing section known as Brooklyn township outside the city limits.

The settled tendency of some of the retail establishments which have heretofore done business on Washington and Broadway to seek locations along Clay street has brought about a live contest for options on property on the last-named street. Rapid development of that street from Eighth to San Pablo avenue may be expected from present indications. It is even probable that this development will extend clear to the water front though the moves in that direction are not so clearly defined as in the region farther north.



ATTRACTIVE BUNGALOW NOW BEING ERECTED FOR T. U. DOWNING ON OAK STREET, NEAR PROSPECT. J. CATHER NEWSOM, ARCHITECT.

BUILDING PRETTY PIEDMONT HOME

A two story house is now in course of construction on Monte Vista avenue, Piedmont, for a prominent physician of the Piedmont Commercial Club. This home is one of the most modern and complete in the Piedmont hills and is the product of a combination of comfort of a certain sort type for home and with a view on purpose of porches and bay windows. It is in a class of its own.

The lower floor contains a spacious ordinary front porch, with a vestibule, an entry hall living and dining room, pass pantry, kitchen, laundry and a small bedroom.

The entry hall is 8 feet 8 inches with a recess seat with hid panel wainscoting and hard oak floor. The living room is 16 by 21 feet with a fine stone fireplace and a built in bookcase and seats to hold a number of books. The dining room is 11 by 14 feet with a beamed ceiling and wainscoting and a buffet and china hutch which extends the entire length of one side of the room. Opening off the dining room is the sun room with its many window panel wainscoting and beamed ceiling.

Many Conveniences.

Connecting the kitchen with the dining room is the pass pantry with its lockers and drawers, bins and china closets. It also contains a novelty in the shape of a closet for table leaves. A real study as to the floor above begins in this room.

The kitchen is 11 by 13 feet with cool closet, sink, double drain board and upboard. Fuel gas is also provided in addition to a patent range. The laundry contains cement wash trays and drying tubing, down to the basement. The rear porch is screened and a portion is partitioned off for a toilet and wash bowl.

The main or front stairs lead up from the living room and form an imposing arrangement of columns, spindles and railings.

The second floor contains two large bedrooms, 13 by 18 feet and a smaller one 10 by 10 feet. Each is provided with spacious lathes closets and window seats. The two front rooms open with French sash on a roomy balcony with panelled overhead. The bathroom is 9 by 12 feet containing all modern plumbing fixtures and floor with tile and door and a closet for towels, linen.

Attractive Place.

All these rooms open on a hall which in turn opens by means of a French sash onto a sleeping balcony with pergola finish overhead.

The house is finished outside with cedar shingles and rough redwood pergola timbers and trimmings stained a tobacco brown. A cinder brick chimney runs up side stairs thereby adding to the effectiveness of the picture.

The lower floor with the exception of the pass pantry, kitchen and laundry will have hardwood floors and antique light fixtures. The entire building will be lighted by electricity with mercury as provided for use at any time.

The cost of this house is $5500. The architect is J. Cather Newsom of this city and the contractor is A. L. Janssen.

NEW RAILWAY EXTENSIONS AND LARGE BUILDINGS IN BERKELEY

BERKELEY, Nov. 28.—At a meeting of the new town of Oakmont the Southern Pacific asked for the extension of its proposed railway line through that territory. It is stated that the road will be given a right of way through the district and all possible effort is made to secure a subsidy. This extension means much to the property values in the district and in other parts of the town. Dwight Way, recently bought by the new Oakland Terminal Company, will be the terminus of the line which will be in operation in a short time.

Values Increased

While the estimates of this extension are not known, it is stated that the line will be used by the traction companies in developing the district and giving them a right of way. On account of giving the magnificent Doe Library of the University of California the street will be greater part in the work of putting in place it will be carried to the smallest detail.

Many more handsome homes are being erected in this city within a short time. A large number of permits were obtained from the Public Works.

Mrs. Robert M. Murry has prepared and is obtained a contract for a residence on Morse avenue. The cost will be the most expensive yet, about $11,000.

Mrs. E. L. The home is to be located on the northeast corner of Twenty second and Fast Twenty second streets. It is to contain rooms and will cost about $7000.

Annie Jackson has obtained a story dwelling at Twelfth street. The house will contain rooms and will cost $6000.

Jessie V. Cutler has obtained a permit to build a two-story residence on the west side of Monte Vista avenue. The structure is to cost $6000.

BUNGALOW TO BE ATTRACTIVE HOME

A bungalow is now being built on the east side of Oak street near Prospect avenue for T. U. Downing. It is designed along artistic lines and meets every requirement of the discriminating housewife and lover of the beautiful. The entrance is surrounded by a commodious porch with pergola treatment and a zinc-lined flower box for plants.

The interior of the house comprises an entrance hall, living-room, dining-room, pass pantry, kitchen, bath and three large bedrooms. Linen closet with drop shelves, separate toilet, laundry and enclosed rear porch.

The entrance hall is 8x13 feet, with a seat at one end. This hall joins the living and dining room, with arched openings, which afford an unobstructed vista and plenty of room for a large company of entertainers.

The living room is 13x21 feet, with a large window seat with hinged lids at one end and an artistic klinker brick mantel and fireplace at the other. This room opens by a French sash door on a pergola covered balcony or porch, running half the length of the building and offering a delightful promenade for evening parties.

Pretty Interior.

The dining room opens off the living-room by means of an archway, and is 14x 8 feet with an excellently designed sideboard, with seats at each side, built in on one end of the room. French sash doors also lead out onto the front porch, and an attractive fireplace and mantel add to the beauty of the room. The ceilings are beamed and the sides encased with panel wainscoting, five feet six inches high. Hardwood floors are laid in these two rooms and the entrance hall.

The pass pantry connects the kitchen and dining-room and contains a cooling closet, sink, closet for table leaves, and cupboard with numerous drawers and lockers.

The kitchen is 10x10 and contains a built in closet dresser or china closet, with drawers and bin under the counter shelf, and fuel gas for a range. The kitchen opens onto the laundry and rear porch. The wash trays in redwood and coal bins are also found here.

Pergola Effects.

The three bedrooms are at the side and rear of the house and get the full morning and midday sun. They contain spacious clothes closets and one of them has a large corner bay window, with seats built in. These rooms are 10x14 feet in size, and open on a hall, as do also the bathroom, toilet, kitchen and living-room.

The bathroom is modern in every particular with tub, wash bowl and medicine closet.

The exterior of this bungalow is covered with shingles and the pergola timbers and other trimmings are redwood, stained a rich brown.

Electric lights prevail throughout, with emergency gas provided also. The over-all dimensions of this building are 42 feet wide (with porch extension in addition) by 60 feet long and the cost is $3500.

The architect is J. Cather Newsom, well known for his picturesque bungalows and Mission style homes.

MAY START NEW SYSTEM OF IMPROVING LOCAL STREETS

Another big improvement in the streets of this city, particularly in the business district is contemplated by Superintendent of Streets Walter Howe and the Board of Public Works. Howe is desirous of having all of the streets in the business section of the city paved with asphalt and his plan is looked upon with favor by the Works Board. If this plan is carried out, it will mean that Oakland's streets will be put still further in the lead in the way of thoroughfares among cities of similar size.

Howe's idea is to do away with the old style macadam paving and to have the city accept all improved streets and keep them in good repair.

Howe suggests that the first streets to be paved under the proposed new order of things—that is with standard or so-called sheet asphalt should be Fifteenth street from Webster to Fallon, Fourteenth street from Franklin to Harrison, Harrison street, from Tenth to Eleventh, Alice street, from Tenth to Twelfth and Tenth and Eleventh streets from Harrison to Alice. These streets he says could be so improved without any probable protest from property owners.

"It is my intention, says Howe, to district the city. I would suggest that only basalt blocks vitrified brick or standard asphalt be used in the district bounded by the estuary, Seventh, Jefferson and Harrison streets. Macadam is not suitable in this district owing to the heavy traffic. In the heart of the business section from Jefferson to Webster and from Seventh to Fourteenth and on the main streets like Broadway, Telegraph avenue and San Pablo avenue I would also suggest the exclusive use of standard asphalt. Within the district from Market street to the lake out as far as Twenty seventh street nothing but asphalt should be used."

BUILDING ACTIVITY IN FRUITVALE GREAT

FRUITVALE, Nov. 28.—Local real estate men report an increased activity in the realty market this week. A number of deals have been consummated and many more are pending.

R. F. Cullington reports several sales for this week. Fred W. Bisler has acquired possession of the C. H. Bailey property on Cross avenue near the boulevard at a price of $1500.

Two residences on Pompei street near East Fourteenth street were disposed of yesterday to T. H. Luha from Joseph Breen and Frank Foster from Thomas Birtch for $2700 each.

LUMBER COMPANY TO ERECT A NEW PLANT

The business of the Sunset Lumber Company has grown to such a degree and the building in this city at the present time is so rapid that it has been found necessary by the company to enlarge its plant by the erection of a one story planing mill on the east side of Fallon street south of First. The structure for the erection of which a permit was obtained this week is to cost about $6000.

BIG BUILDING TO BE ERECTED SOON

The foundation was started a few days ago on E. L. Blackman's two story office building on East Fourteenth street opposite the Melrose depot. The front elevation of the structure is shown herewith. It will consist of twelve offices in suites of two rooms while the lower floor will be cut into three stores fitted with prismatic lights and plate glass fronts. The building will cost about $8000.

The building will be handsome in design and finish after the Mission style. The exterior will be shingled and plastered and the roof will be gabled. The building will have a frontage of 41 feet by a depth of 46. H. A. Kempf is the architect and builder.

DOUBLE TRACKS OF W. P. NOW BEING LAID

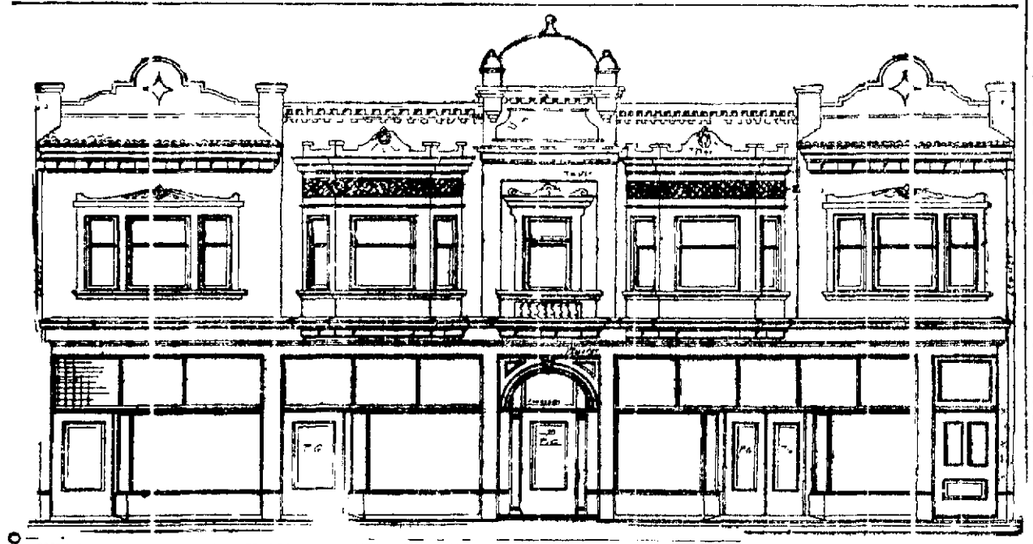
The Western Pacific Company is building work on the laying of its tracks in this city and in the past week the work of laying the double tracks west of Oak street on Third was commenced and is now well under way. The company is to push the work to a rapid completion and within a short time the rails of another transcontinental railroad will transverse this city.

P. B. Weaver has obtained a permit from the Board of Public Works for the erection of a two story flat building which is to cost about $6000. The structure is to be modern in every detail and will contain sixteen rooms. The building is to be erected on the south side of Thirty second street, west of Grove.

SIX ACRES BRING PRICE OF $15,000

An important realty deal has been consummated by the Melrose Realty Company, this property belonging to Mrs. Sarah E. Bowman of Oakland, being transferred to John F. Jelich, also of Oakland, the price being $15,000.

The property which consists of six acres is located on the two blocks on East Fourteenth street between 81st and 85th streets in East Oakland. It has been known as the old Yokum home for years. It will be taken by the new owner to subdivide the land into building lots.



FRONT ELEVATION OF TWO STORY OFFICE BUILDING TO BE ERECTED ON EAST FOURTEENTH STREET OPPOSITE MELROSE STATION, BY E. L. BLACKMAN. H. A. KEMPF, ARCHITECT.

WILL SOON BUILD AN $11,000 HOME

ELMHURST IS TO HAVE BIG PARK

REPORT OF BUILDING PERMITS GRANTED LAST WEEK SHOW GRAND TOTAL OF $86,846; STRUCTURES ARE GOING UP ALL OVER

Summary of buildings permits applied for at the Board of Public Works for the week ending Wednesday, November 25, as compiled by Walter B. Lawrence, secretary.

	No. Permits	Amount
1-story dwellings	16	$27,61[illegible]
1½ story dwellings	1	1,700
2 story dwellings		11,7[illegible]
2 story flat	1	4,500
1 story store	1	70
1-story planing mills		9,0[illegible]
1-story warehouse	1	[illegible]
Barns, garage, sheds, stables	10	2,8[illegible]
Alterations, additions and repairs	59	11,07[illegible]
Totals	78	$86,8[illegible]

Report By Wards.

First ward	[illegible]	$41,401
Second ward	1	6,2[illegible]
Third ward	1	[illegible]
Fourth ward		1,5[illegible]
Fifth ward	16	18,1[illegible]
Sixth ward	10	5,1[illegible]
Seventh ward	1	13,5[illegible]
Totals	79	$86,84[illegible]

Building Permits.

California Planing Mill Company, one-story 1 room planing mill north side of Second street, 611-16, $900.

H. Peterson, 1½-story barn, west side of Warwick street, 185 feet north of Perkins, $400.

A. J. Styche, 1 story 2-room storeroom, east side of Gilbert street, 90 feet south of Ridgeway, $70.

J. L. Stewart, 1 story 4-room cottage, north side of Fifty sixth street, 110 feet east of Denton, $1000.

Dr. Walter Smyth, 1½ story 3 room stable, south side of Bayo Vista and Monte Vista, $600.

A. Rossi, 1½ story barn, southeast corner Thirty second and Grove streets, rear, $500.

A. Dinglo, 1 story 1 room stable, southwest corner Fifty second and Market streets, $[illegible].

Mrs. E. Cramer, shingling roof, northwest corner Twenty fifth avenue and East Fifteenth street, $80.

Rev. Father McNally, shingling house, northeast corner of Eighth and Henry streets, $6[illegible].

T. D. Courtright, 1 story 3 room cottage, south line of Allen street [illegible] feet east of Dixon, $[illegible]00.

E. Gill alterations, 618 Fourteenth street, $115.

E. T. Leitor addition and shingling, 772 Fifty-seventh street, $[illegible]00.

Lusevrettes & Sogalas, 1 story 4-room cottage, south line of East Twelfth street, 200 feet east of Park avenue, $1,000.

B. S. Austin reshingle, 767 Grove street, $75.

G. Bruno, 1 story 1 room barn, south side of Avon, 200 feet east of Miles avenue, $100.

F. Bleumental alteration, 521 Brush way, $[illegible].

Lessie E. Others alterations, south west corner Ninth and Washington, $[illegible].

Annie Peterson, 2 story 1 room building, northeast corner of Fifth avenue and East Twenty fourth street, $[illegible]00.

C. E. Tisdale alteration, [illegible] Grove street, $100.

Jessie V. Harrier, 2 story 11 room dwelling, west side of Brush street, 117 feet south of Wolsey, $[illegible]00.

A. Visagno, one story 1 room building (additional cost), east side of Park boulevard, 150 feet south of Foothill, $50.

G. Ogg Hoffs, [illegible] story 6 room dwelling, south side of Twelfth street, 150 feet west of Telegraph avenue, $[illegible]70.

Inez L. Butters, repairs, 10 Sixteenth street, $75.

Jessie B. Butters, repairs, 617 Sixteenth street, $75.

Lusevrettes & Sogalas, 1 story dwelling, east side of Boyd avenue, 170 feet south of Clifton street, $65.

Mrs. A. B. Wilson alterations, 1 30 Ninth street, $175.

W. Williams, one-story five room cottage, north line of Twenty eighth street, [illegible] feet west of Linden, $1500.

George Jackson, one story five room bungalow, west line of Hulogos avenue, 100 feet north of Alcatraz avenue, $2500.

J. D. Saxon, one story 7 bedroom, Chestnut street, in the rear, $150.

Sunset Lumber Company, one story planing mill, east line of Fallon street, [illegible] south of First, $[illegible]0.

Reliance Mill and Lumber Company, one story building shed, southwest corner of East Fourteenth street and Fifteenth avenue, $500.

David Smith, three room addition, 6th street, [illegible] and [illegible], $1[illegible].

A. Hodgson, one story 4 room office, north side of Fifty fourth street, 110 feet east Park, $[illegible]0.

F. Cutler, one story four room dwelling, 1[illegible]0 East Twentieth street, near [illegible], $7[illegible].

Mrs. J. Krill alterations, 1768 Dwinelle street, $7.

Thomas M. Gardner alterations and repairs, 1[illegible] Ninetenth avenue, $[illegible]10.

Mr. Robert McMurry, two story seven room dwelling, south side of Oak Land avenue, 204 feet east of Moss avenue, $11,000.

John Smith alterations and addition, 69 Seventh street, $1100.

A. Snyder alterations, 5515 Seventh street, $[illegible]0.

A. Hirsch, one story five room cottage, south side of Sixty third street, 140 feet west of Shattuck avenue, $900.

Theodore Cox alterations, south side Eighteenth street, 140 feet west of Peralta avenue, $1000.

Jerry Hill alterations, 1461-1463 Alice street, $150 each.

M. J. Hill, L. Joseph additions, 1 67 Fifth avenue, $77.

Nicholas Andreucetti, one and half story four room building, north side of Forty fourth street, 117 feet west of Fifty fourth street, $[illegible].

G. A. Kitz, two story 10 room dwelling, [illegible] east side of Oak street, [illegible] feet south of Grand, $[illegible]00.

A. Walker, two story four room cottage, east side of Avalo street, 100 feet south of Herman, and west side of Herman street, 289 feet south, $1,00 each.

John Lee, alterations, 1[illegible] Fourth avenue, $400.

J. Allen, alterations, 709 Seventh street, $[illegible].

William B., alterations, 1[illegible] Fifty fourth street, 120 feet west, $[illegible].

Watson, alterations, 1[illegible] Twenty fifth street, 200 feet [illegible] Edward, $[illegible]0.

F. J. B., one-story six-room dwelling, northeast corner of Dover and Sixth streets, $[illegible]00.

Mc Wilson & Co., alterations, 1[illegible] Fourth street, $[illegible]0.

Captain A., two story [illegible] dwelling, north side of Mather [illegible] Blair, $1000.

J. D. Dan, two story four room dwelling, northeast corner of Fifty [illegible] and East Twenty second streets, $[illegible]00.

Mutual Construction Company, one story house, west side of Lang [illegible] street, $[illegible]00.

[illegible], two story dwelling, [illegible] feet south of Monte Vista avenue, $[illegible]0.

Ayala, [illegible] Wainscoting, [illegible] feet south of [illegible] street, $[illegible].

P. B. Weaver, two-story sixteen-room flats, south side of Thirty-seventh street, 242 feet west of Grove, $4800.

Winedale Company, alterations, 207 San Pablo avenue, $25.

Lester B. Reiff, one-story five-room cottage, north side of Sixty-third street, 200 feet west of Shattuck avenue; $2000.

Carl Rasmussen, one-story five-room bungalow, east side of Piedmont avenue, 200 feet south of Echo, $2000.

M. L. C. Belnaue, one-story three-room bungalow, south side of Twenty-sixth street, 200 feet east of Telegraph; $1200.

Mrs. M. A. Decker, alterations, 1035 Fifty fourth street, $500.

I. Gorgensen, one story four-room bungalow, 5309 Market street, $1600.

H. C. Steinbeck, repairs, 1315 Broadway, $100.

C. N. Butler, one-story office, north side of Fifty fifth street, 150 feet west of Grove, $75.

August Wiegele, one-story store, east side of Twenty-third avenue, 20 feet north of East Thirteenth street, $700.

Dr. Milton Garage, 1110 Telegraph avenue, $125.

Mrs. Mary A. Harrington, alter dwelling to flats, 1000 Fifty-sixth street; $1800.

LITTLE JOHN TEDDY BEAR AND HIS FRIENDS

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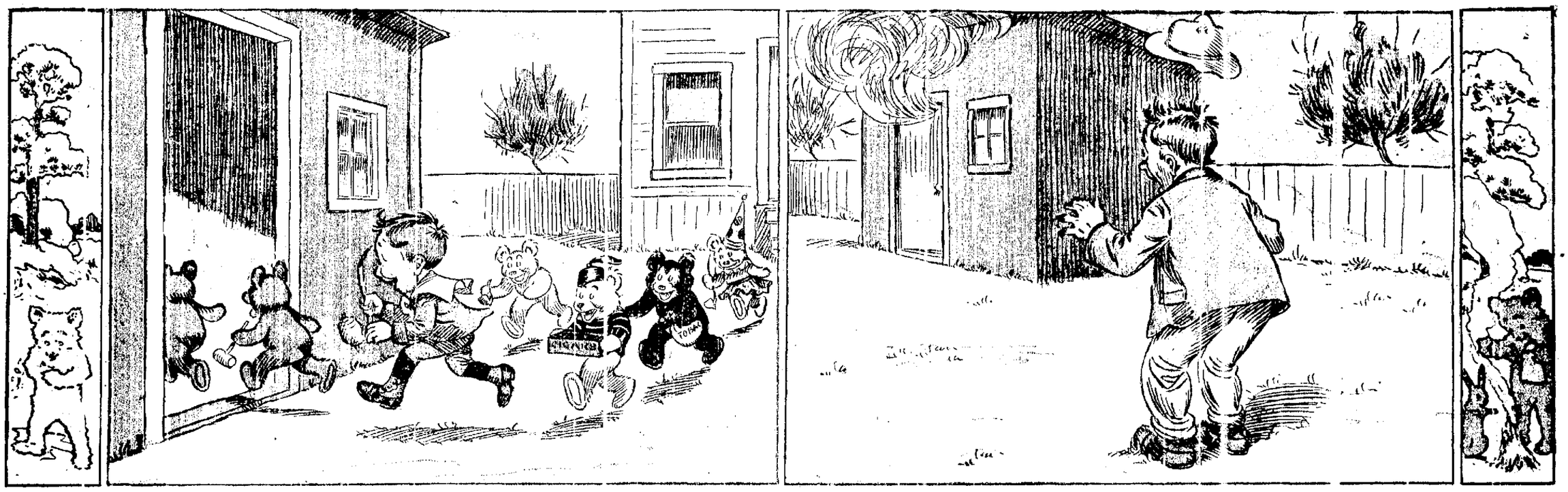
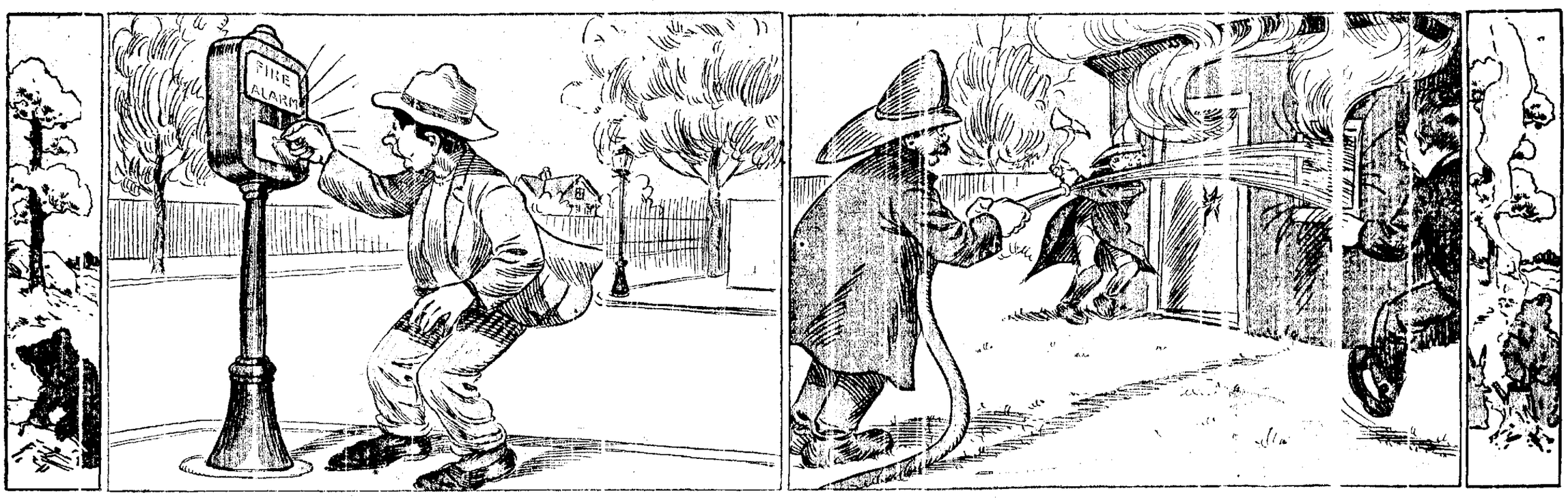
COMIC SECTION

OAKLAND, CAL., SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 29, 1908



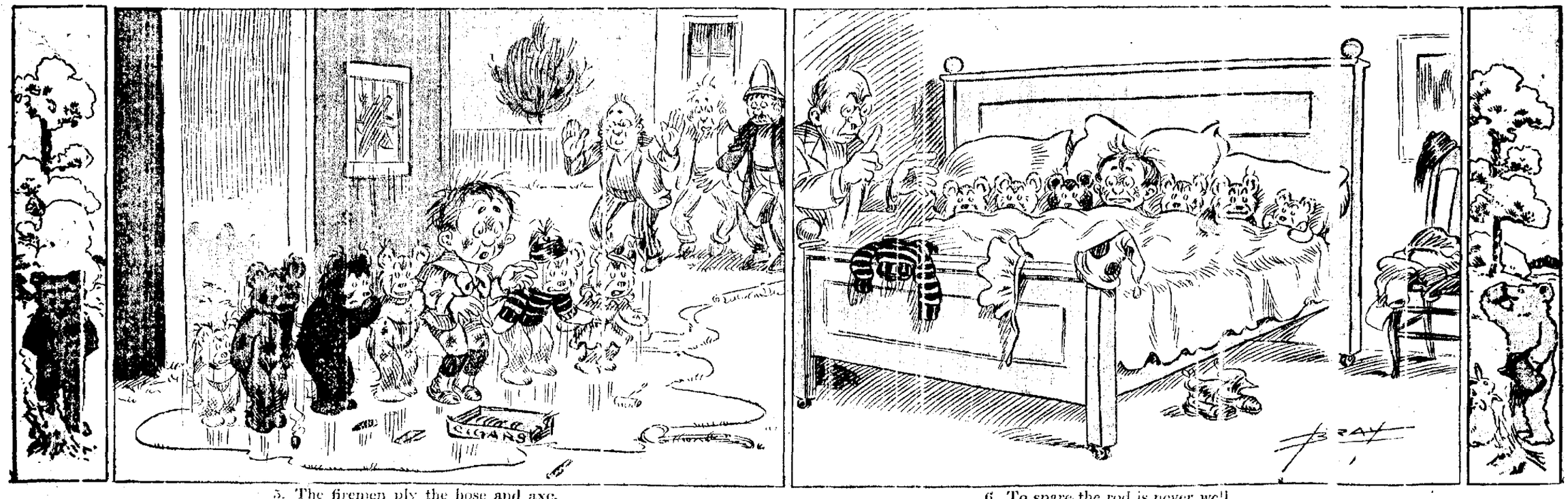
1. The Teddies think they'll have some fun,
And smoke as they had seen it done.
Some fine cigars they go and swipe;
Some 'baccy, also, and a pipe.

2. They seek the barn without delay,
And light their pipes with wisps of hay
What wonder that a passer-by
Saw clouds of smoke ascend on high!



3. He quickly rings the bell for fire,
And spreads the news in accents dire;
Then rushes to the barn again
To help the valiant firemen.

4. Meanwhile the Teds sit round and joke,
Emitting clouds and clouds of smoke,
Till suddenly some watery streams
Awake them from their pleasant dreams.



5. The firemen ply the hose and axe,
And after several mighty whacks
The door breaks down, and out there tears
A wet and chastened band of bears.

6. To spare the rod is never well,
So I have heard John's father tell,
He used it well on boy and Ted
Before he put them all to bed.

Oakland Tribune.

WOMAN'S SECTION

OAKLAND, CAL., SUNDAY, NOV. 29, 1908

THE SMARTEST FASHIONS of WELL-DRESSED FOLK

A Winter Nursery Party

DEAREST ELEANOR:

You know I wrote to you last summer about our nursery party, where the children of all the neighboring houses gathered into one nursery under the care of one nurse. As you can imagine, if the plan works well in summer it will even more ideal in winter, for the afternoons are very long, and the children, when they are by themselves, get very lonely. With the aid of the nursery party idea every day seems to be a holiday, while each mother has comparative peace.

Today was my day. Most of the children congregated in our nursery, for it was too rainy for nurse to take them out. At first the party lagged very much. There seemed to be nothing for the youngsters to do until at last the little neighbor that I told you takes the children to school came in with a friend of hers and suggested that they should make scrap books.

There was a hurried scramble for blank books and old magazines, and you may imagine what a jolly time they all had. Some of the youngsters decided to make their's a scrap book of American history, and they cut old books and old magazines to pieces until they had a very historical arrangement of pictures. Others made albums, while still others collected pictures of automobiles. The two girls emptied with them and saw that they did not swallow the paste, while I played in my room and listened to the shrieks of joyous laughter coming down the stairs.

Those two older girls, by the way, were so beautifully dressed that I know you will be interested to hear about them. One had an Alice blue skirt cut circular, with a corselet waist line. With this she wore a white linen waist tucked down the front and tucked sleeves, while a ruffle of embroidery finished the cuffs and the panel down the front. The same embroidery was arranged in a sort of collar at the neck, and with this she wore a very loosely tied knot of Alice blue ribbon.

Her friend who is visiting her for a few weeks wore a plaid dress with an empire waist line, and crossed in front over a guimpe of white tucked net. The sleeves were plain and long, and two pleats over the shoulders gave the appearance of breadth and straightness of line.

Our little Eleanor wore a white regulation sailor suit with a dainty white pinafore to protect it.

One of the little boys present had on a brown serge sailor suit, made double-breasted, almost like a Russian blouse. It was really a combination of the two styles.

Another girl wore a dark blue sailor suit with red collar and red shield. In fact, among the youngsters the sailor fashion seems to be a predominating note. What better fashion could there be for children between the ages of 4 and 10?

Lovingly,

MADGE

Lady Auckland Says That N. Y. Women Are So Awkward

She Declares Our Men Are "Namby Pamby," Too

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—"Six weeks in New York" is the title of a stirring novel in which Lady Auckland announced she would show up New York people that they might see themselves as others do and see just how funny they are.

Lady Auckland has a highly developed sense of humor, for an Englishwoman, her friends say. "Well, it is true that I have been greatly amused these six weeks I have spent in New York," she declared. She also confided her plans for writing "one of the smart books of the year," as she terms it.

Clever Artist

Lady Auckland sailed for London on the Celtic. A good share of room in her numerous trunks were taken up with her written observations and sketches of New York people. Lady Auckland is a clever caricaturist, and whenever an unusually funny circumstance of American life has appealed to her sense of humor, she has made a hurried sketch of it, so she says.

"Yesterday," said Lady Auckland, after she returned to the Hotel Gotham, "I had a funny experience. Riding downtown on a tram car a great stout woman—so many New York women are so unmercifully stout—annoyed me beyond endurance She had on one of those ridiculously big hats—which women wear here for the street."

Lady Auckland while she talked had a close-fitting, jaunty toque, which she says is the proper thing for street wear. "Well, this woman" continued Lady Auckland, "had a dyed turkey feather in her hat about two yards long. I said, 'Would you please take your dyed turkey feather out of my eye?' She glanced at me fiercely. I moved to a seat across the way and took out my pad and pencil and sketched her right then and there. I intend to put this woman in my book to show some of the annoying things one has to put up with in New York

"Ripping" Book

"Well, the book is going to be a ripping one," said Lady Auckland enthusiastically. "I shall say just what I think, and I have done a lot of thinking these last six weeks."

This was Lady Auckland's first visit to America. When asked if she thought six weeks sufficient time to make a close study of New York people, she replied: "Well, you see I have traveled abroad a great deal and I am keenly observing. We English observe first and talk afterward.

Changes in Society

"New York society is awfully small and confined to such small limits" she said. "London society is immense and many times more interesting. There is no comparison. Of course, London society has changed in the last ten years, with so many new people coming in Lots of them bring wealth, but brains—well, there is not an overstock of them. One has to be more careful going about in London society. It is not like it used to be, when everyone knew everyone else.

"New York women need to know lots of things I was walking down Fifth avenue with a New York society girl. She walked with a stride and swung her arms until she resembled a wind mill. I finally asked her if she would not please walk with her feet instead of her arms. That may be the style here but I do not admire it."

Then Lady Auckland took a rap at New York men.

"Your men lack, what shall I say? Backbone! yes that's it. They are too namby-pamby. Our men are fine specimens of manly men. Well, I guess that comes from fighting, don't you think so? If the New York men had more fighting ancestors back of them, who had really distinguished themselves in war as ours have done, well, it would give them more real character and manliness.

"Funny" Suffragettes

"As for your suffragettes," continued Lady Auckland, "well, I met some of them one afternoon at the Colony Club. Funny looking women They all looked as though they had been disappointed in love or something of that sort, and wanted to fight somebody or something just to relieve their minds They all wore stiff linen collars.

"And goodness knows most of them looked untidy enough. Their hair hung down into their eyes or trailed and sagged at the sides, and most of them looked awfully out of date Like most American people they take themselves so deadly serious that it is funny, awfully funny Yes, I have some good sketches of them I shall use. It won't do a bit of harm, will it? Of course they will deny any resemblance, I suppose.

Surprised at Buildings

"I think the New York buildings are the most interesting things about the city. I was surprised with their immensity of proportions and superb outlines.

"Now, I am not going to say anything more," said Lady Auckland, with a majestic wave of the hand. "I want to use my opinions and my ideas for my own purposes I am not here expressing opinions. That is so American like Americans tell everything they think and talk so much We English think a lot and do little talking."

Lady Auckland comes from a long line of English aristocracy. She is the daughter of Col. George Mutton of the English army and granddaughter of Bacon, the first baronet in England, created in the eleventh century of the family of Guillaume de Stracey, who came over with William the Conqueror.

DIVORCED By TWO WIVES IN ONE DAY

NEW YORK, Nov. 28. A queer complication was revealed before Justice Bischoff in the Supreme Court when two women obtained divorces from the same man. The man is Frank L. Winfield and the women are Winona L. Winfield and Harriet B. Winfield

Mrs. Winona Winfield asked an absolute divorce on the ground of her husband's second marriage, and Mrs. Harriet Winfield asked for an annulment of her marriage on the ground that at that time her husband had another wife living in the person of Winona, from whom he had not been divorced.

Winona, who gave her residence as 120 West Twenty-second street, testified that she was married to Winfield on July 18, 1895, and that she had subsequently brought an action for a divorce, which he did not defend and which the judge threw out of court for lack of evidence.

Harriet said she married Winfield on November 28, 1905, and that she lived with him for about a year, when she learned that he had another wife living, whereupon she and he parted company.

Winfield declared that he had married his second wife in good faith, his first wife having informed him that she had secured a divorce from him.

Justice Bischoff gave the decrees of divorce and annulment which they sought.

She Defied Death and PUT TO FLIGHT BURGLARS

Looking Into Revolver Muzzle, She Screamed When They Took Her Engagement Ring

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Facing the muzzle of an ugly old-fashioned Colt navy revolver in the hands of a burglar and threatened with death if she gave an alarm, Miss Hilma Johnson, daughter of Peter A. Johnson of 242 East Two Hundred and Second street, screamed for help when she awakened and found two men stealing her jewels, among them her diamond engagement ring. Her cries alarmed the men, who fled downstairs to the street.

After a series of adventures two persons, suspected of being the escaping burglars, were arrested, and the police believe that, primarily through the courage of Miss Johnson, they have the men who for ten days have been looting the homes of well to do residents of the district. Two of the rooms of the Johnson house were robbed of watches and jewelry and other articles before the alarm entered that occupied by Miss Hilma.

Miss Johnson, as soon as she saw the three of the suspects, through the snow and storm to the station and identified them. She is positive that both had revolvers, none was found on either. She saw the thief of a gold watch and valuable jewelry from the room of her sister, Agnes. The prisoners merely for nothing had been found on them.

Policemen Flynn and Turner, who made the arrests, recalled that they had heard, once or twice, something drop in the snow as they their prisoners along and resolved back over the trail. They did so and at different places found two revolvers, a gold watch which later was identified as the property of Miss Johnson's younger sister. The prisoners gave the names of Joseph Harvey and Harry Hartman. At the address or Washington avenue which Harvey "guessed" to be that of his home is the headquarters of the detective bureau. The police say he has a criminal record under the name of Joe De Rosa. Both were held in $5000 bail in the Morrisania court for a hearing. The names given, the police say, are undoubtedly fictitious.

Investigation showed that the burglars by the aid of a jimmy, forced a window on the porch of the Johnson residence, lighted the gas, then opened wide the front door of the house that escape or possible discovery might be the easier. Ascended to the sleeping rooms on the first floor, entered them just as they came, lit the gas in them and rifled them. In the room of two young boys of the family, Ernest and Adolph, they got little. In the room of Miss Agnes they got a gold watch, three valuable rings, a brooch and a bracelet.

In the room of Miss Hilma they had gathered up a lot of jewelry when her screams scared them. The screams awakened others in the house and aroused Detective Harry McCutcheon, who but a half hour before had returned home. Throwing on a coat and a pair of slippers he grabbed his revolver and got to the door in time to see the men running. He fired a warning shot, but the men got around the corner into Valentine avenue and out of sight.

The shot attracted the attention of Policeman Flynn and Mounted Policeman Turner, who went in the direction of Briggs avenue and found the prisoners walking rapidly toward Mosholu Parkway. When the policemen neared them, the men started to run, but were caught. Their explanation was not satisfactory and they were taken to the station.

The work of the burglars and the manner is strikingly similar in detail to that used in burglaries recently in the home of Mrs. Elisabeth Gillespie and in that of William R. Daly, both in the Bronx Park precinct. In the former place some $300 worth of jewelry was taken, and in the latter the loss exceeded $1000 in value.

Miss Johnson, who is assistant librarian in the Botanical Gardens, would not be interviewed, saying that she regretted even the publicity which the prosecution of the case would bring. In their flight from her room the burglars neglected to take with them the jewelry they had gathered up, and got away practically with only that which they had collected from her sister's room.

Slams an Intruder With Her Rollingpin

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Mrs. Mary Brennan of 142 Patchen avenue, Brooklyn, in the Williamsburg district, had just assigned a dozen healthy-looking biscuits to their positions on the pan and was busy tucking them into the oven when a wild-eyed youth entered her kitchen by way of the window and brought sash and broken glass along with him.

"Hurry, the cops is after me. If you don't hide me I'll kill you!" he shouted, at the same time flashing a revolver.

"I'll hide you!" answered the plucky housewife. "I'll teach you to ring the bell the next time. Take that, and that, and those, and this and them!"

To emphasize each separate gift she bounced a rollingpin on the fellow's upper story and had him staggering around the room begging for mercy.

He got his nerve back when Patrolmen Finley and Schroeder, of the Ralph avenue police station, appeared at the door.

At sight of the cops he [illegible] through another window, but the [illegible] right behind him. When he [illegible] into a coal cellar in the next yard they were still on the job. In the [illegible] he gave the policemen a fight, but they handed him a hardwood finish.

At the station he said he was [illegible] and Walsh of 1280 De Kalb avenue [illegible] was looked up charged with [illegible] in having entered Mrs. Brennan's [illegible]. He didn't get anything there but [illegible] ing, but his suspicious actions as [illegible] the day are what he will have to [illegible].

Policeman Finley says he saw [illegible] loitering in vestibules along [illegible] avenue, a neighborhood in which [illegible] have been several robberies in the last few weeks.

Finley says Walsh stayed [illegible] house about fifteen minutes and when the "cop" asked him his business his answers were unsatisfactory. Finley says he tried to arrest him, but Walsh smashed him with his rollingpin and gave him the boot.

Wouldn't W-w-w-ed Deaf, Stuttering Bachelor, She Said

And Now He Sues For Damages

NEW YORK.—A merry chapter in the love-and-money romance of a pretty brunette of twenty-two and her deaf and stuttering suitor of sixty was revealed yesterday in the Chancery Court in Jersey City, when George A. Roth, of West Englewood, appeared, with his ear trumpet, as plaintiff in an action to recover from Miss Amanda Leister the deed to a house in the upper part of Bergen County.

According to the testimony, Roth was at his bachelor home one day in August, 1907, when William Rouchert drove up with his sister-in-law, Miss Leister.

"What do you think of her?" asked Rouchert, after the introduction, roaring the question into Roth's ear-trumpet.

"S-s-sh-s-s-s she's f-f-fine, fine," responded the old bach—f-f-ine, fine as s-s-silk."

Miss Leister smiled cheerily on Roth, he said, and he thought she was the nicest girl ever. She admired the old bachelor's nice new home.

"H-h-owow-how'd-d-d y-y-oo-oo-you l-l-t-i-i-l-k-k-lke-like t-t-to m-m-arry-marry hit-t-to th-th-is-this h-h-ous-ous-house?" gently inquired Roth with some hesitancy.

According to Roth, the pretty young brunette then and there, on his own lawn, vociferated into his own trumpet her acceptance of his proposal.

December and May cooed a while under the shade of the old apple tree. The deaf bachelor thought so well of Miss Leister that he agreed to turn over to her the deed to the house. She, on her part, he says, consented and agreed to become his bride in June, 1908.

After he had given her the deed, Roth alleges, Miss Leister kept away from him a while, until he was heart sick. Finally he sought and found her. He asked her, in stuttering accents, why she had forsaken him.

"He changed my mind," was the sad message he says she poured into his ear trumpet.

Roth now asks for the return of his deed. The pretty defendant will testify today and explain why, as alleged, she refuses either to give the deaf old bachelor her dimpled hand or his cozy homestead.

Roth's neighbors in West Englewood say he is well-to-do.

TOUGH CHICKEN

EVERY DAY OF WEEK IN SEVEN DIFFERENT STYLES FOR NURSES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—There is unrest among the nurses of the Training School of the Bellevue Hospital. The cause lies in the fact that two months ago an addition was made to the commissary department in the form of an assistant housekeeper Now the nurses are starving, or nearly so, they say

One of the nurses said: "After leaving a serious case in the hospital, should we arrive a minute or two late for meals we are denied admittance to the dining hall, the housekeeper having no time for the tardy

"Those who are admitted as a rule find nothing but chicken. To start the week off right the cook serves stewed chicken. Usually it is so tough that it cannot be eaten and much remains. As a result there is sufficient remaining to make cream chicken for lunch Tuesday. The chicken is stewed again for Wednesday. Thursday what is left is creamed again. Friday it is chicken hash. The commissary department manages to collect enough of the same chicken on Saturday to serve pickled chickens' wings. Every other plate of chicken soup served is graced with a chicken's neck."

The question of heating the building properly is also arousing the indignation of the inmates of the training school. It has been rumored that there is a heater in the cellar, but those occupying rooms on the upper floors have never been able to verify it, they declare Sometimes, the nurses say, they are compelled to go to bed with their clothes on.

Complaints, occurring at frequent intervals, have been lodged with the superintendent, but to no avail. The cold storage chicken and frigid temperature continue.

DYING WOMAN'S WILL Branded a Cruel Deception

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—There was a sensational sequel to a sensational story when Surrogate Thomas not only refused to admit the alleged will of Mrs. Sarah R. Bartnett, of Westchester village, to probate, but denounced the manner of its making to be "the most cruel and heartless deception on a dying woman" that ever had come under his observation.

Evidence was offered to indicate that the testatrix was incapable of understanding her act in signing an instrument which deprived four beloved children of all participation in her estate; also that the will itself was a forgery and that Mrs. Bartnett's signature in lead pencil had been inked over, and so visibly that the surrogate could feel plainly with his fingers the lines in relief made with some sharp pointed instrument.

The evidence was so conclusive to Surrogate Thomas that he took that as sufficient to throw the will out, without considering the forgery charge. Two representatives from the district attorney's office were in the court and made a full record of the evidence, to be used in a future proceeding. An arrest would have been made immediately if the surrogate had taken the forgery charge into consideration.

The Surrogate Indignant

The surrogate could scarcely maintain a judicial calm as he spoke of the extraordinary turn that the case had taken, when two of the subscribing witnesses to the alleged signature of the almost pulseless woman swore that they were not certain that her name had been signed when they signed theirs, or whether she had uttered a word signifying that she understood what was going on about her.

Mrs. Bartnett gave birth to a child on April 11 last. On April 21 septic poisoning had invaded her system with such virulence that two doctors pronounced the case the worst in their experience. It was decided that the only chance to save her was by a heroic operation. She was too weak to be etherized. Possessed of an amazing vitality, she survived and was artificially stimulated with whisky, strychnine, advrohelin and a saline solution. This revived her sufficiently to have the intention of her signing a will, disinheriting her children, carried out.

Dr. William Pound was the attending physician. He had called Dr. Dunn from Fordham to "hurry, for Heaven's sake, to assist in a capital operation." Elvira McConichee, a trained nurse, was an assistant to the surgeons. Timothy Power, a Westchester village lawyer, was called in to draft a will, which he did in the dining room, while the apparently dying woman was being stimulated into some sort of mental activity with drugs.

All this was brought out in a merciless examination by Edmund J. Tinsdale, the special guardian appointed by the surrogate to care for the interest of the four children. Charles D. Le Barbier represented Patrick Mullen, the grandfather, who discovered that the children had been declared by the stepfather to be paupers.

Nurse's Damaging Evidence

Nurse McConichee astonished the surrogate and Messrs. Roeser and Ferris, counsel for Bartnett, when she said she could not swear that she saw Mrs. Bartnett sign the will.

"Was there any signature on that paper when you put your name to it as a witness?" asked Lawyer Tinsdale.

"I don't know whether there was or not," was the reply. "I will not swear to it."

"Do you believe that Mrs. Bartnett was of sound mind when she was asked to sign that paper?" asked Mr. Tinsdale.

"I don't think she was," replied the witness.

"Did you see her sign the will?" asked the surrogate.

"I did not," was the reply.

"And you put your signature there?"

"Yes; I don't remember whether I signed before or after the others."

Dr. Pound was asked by the surrogate if he had heard Mrs. Bartnett make any rational remark. He replied that he had not heard her say anything.

David Carvalho, handwriting expert, swore positively that the signature on the will had been written first in lead pencil and then written over with ink, and that the date had been inserted after the signature had been written.

"If the court will permit," said the expert, "I will lift that ink trace and show the lead pencil signature beneath."

"I am astonished," said the surrogate; "I cannot believe that, in her condition, this woman had memory or mental power. On the evidence put in by those who seek to have this will admitted as genuine, a fraud was committed on this man. I think it was a wicked and cruel deception. I refuse to admit this will to probate."

MODISTE HAS $75,000 Worth of Fun

Out of Comedian's Drolls

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—By the will of Mrs. Josefa N. Osborn, the famous dressmaker, which was filed for probate, Ernest Lawford, the actor, is left the income from $75,000. The will was executed on February 5 this year, and names Miss Audrey Osborn, the 14-year-old daughter of the testatrix, as the only other beneficiary. It is believed the total will not fall far short of $500,000.

Lawford is an Englishman. He came to this country several years ago and almost from the beginning of his American stage career achieved success in comedy roles.

By a WOMAN HATER

GIRLS with pretty necks dislike high collars.

It makes some girls tired to do anything but go visiting.

Married women like to board and pretend to be keeping house.

A woman's notion of superiority is to be able to pay for things by check.

The girl who doesn't fancy work is apt to acquire the fancy-work habit.

Most of a woman's thoughts are about as high above the earth as her hat.

And a woman nearly always thinks another woman is ugly if she doesn't say so.

Women are naturally foolish; they are more afraid of mice than they are of men.

It is easier, cheaper and generally pleasanter to get married than it is to get unmarried.

Rather than start a rough house many an otherwise truthful man tell his wife fairy stories.

Some young men seem to think it better to have loved and lost than never to have lost at all.

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SOCIETY

THE Thanksgiving holidays have been observed and are now thought of as turned towards the Christmas festivities that season of joy and goodwill toward all. In this hope the Christmas gifts and novelties are displayed and the stores begin to have their usual throng of shoppers.

There is a crispness in the air suggestive of the holiday season which seems to insinuate itself into the midst of the shopping whirl.

One of the conceits of the season is the making of attractive boxes in which to send the gift. These are made of ordinary boxes covered with pretty papers or ribbons, which are a bit more expensive if they may be covered with dainty silk.

It takes time and patience to cover the boxes but they are pretty effective and are always convenient for holiday the small accessories.

It is a pretty thought to use the favorite flower or color with such a gift and to tie the bunch of violets or bons of the unusual. The personal touch always adds so much to the value of a gift.

Gold and white are so popular this season that white boxes tied with the lovely gold satin ribbons would make a most dainty combination.

CHURCH WEDDING

The wedding of Miss Stella Alexander and Henry W. Tomlinson which was solemnized in Brooklyn Presbyterian Church last evening was a very beautiful affair.

The marriage service was read by the Rev. James Alexander father of the bride. An altar of Boston palms, bamboo fan and feathery cosmos was used in the church.

The bride was attired in a beautiful gown of white satin and mirror satin trimmed with seed pearl lace. She wore the conventional veil fastened with a wreath of orange blossoms and carried a shower bouquet of lilies of the valley.

Miss Edith Alexander the maid of honor wore an exquisite pink silk robe made over pink satin and carried a shower bouquet of pink carnations.

The bridesmaids, Miss Lisle Evans, Miss Marion Morrow, Miss Ella Ames and Miss Louise Smith were gowned in pink imported linen and carried bouquets of pink carnations. The flower girl, Miss Dorothy Fridget, was dressed in pink.

Ronald Roth was the best man and the ushers were Henry Caswell, Mr. Norcross, Edgar Bellows and Robert Belcher.

Following the church ceremony a reception was held at the Alexander home on Lentz avenue. The rooms were artistically decorated with bride maids roses and enchantress carnations combined with masses of ferns making a most attractive setting for the bridal party.

After the reception Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson left for their honeymoon journey.

Mr. Tomlinson is building a home in Linda Vista where they will make their future home.

TALENTED WOMAN

Especially interesting was the program given by Mrs. Dorothea Brayden before Ebell Club on Tuesday afternoon. Mrs. Hayden has just returned from a tour of the Eastern cities. When in Denver she read at the Congregational church presenting "The Sunken Bell."

"The Modern World," a Denver publication speaks of Mrs. Hayden's evening as follows:

"On Sunday evening, Mrs. Hayden gave an evening of October 18th, an audience of Denver's most cultured people. She has found a rare art that combines the most fascinating play with the deepest human interest. Her speech in language so exquisitely beautiful that it lingers like sweet music on the ear.

"Hauptmann's name, mystic and philosopher, is fortunate in having for his interpreter an artist whose great dramatic power and spiritual visions enable her to sound the depths of this wonderful literary creation and whose imagination rises with equal perfection to the exquisite form Rittenden from the aspiring Hinlich and the bloodless old Wittkin.

"Her reading of Hauptmann on Tuesday brought forth expressions of great delight to her artistic work. Her voice is very melodious, rich and full and her interpretation most finished and scholarly.

"On December 18 she is to appear before the Shakespeare Club in Pasadena when she will present the Sunken Bell."

Mr. Hayden expressed her pleasure in meeting so appreciative and responsive an audience as that at Ebell.

PRETTY HOME WEDDING

A pretty wedding of yesterday was that uniting Miss Edith M. Martin and Wilbur D. Burnham at which the Rev. Clifton Meron was the officiating clergyman. The little wore a charming gown of navy blue broadcloth and picture hat to match. She was attended by her sister, Miss Maud Martin, who was gowned in white mousseline.

Carl Burnham, brother of the bridegroom, was the best man. The ceremony was solemnized at the home of the bride, 12 Randolph avenue, at 7 o'clock.

After the ceremony a wedding supper was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. Burnham left for San Jose where they will enjoy a brief honeymoon journey.

Owing to the illness of Mr. Burnham's mother only the immediate family were present.

The living room was prettily decorated in the occasion with white and pink, the bridal smilax being brought in contrast to the green. A delicate and unusual feature was the plating picture taken the return from the wedding trip the young people will make their home at 176 Randolph avenue.

THE LOREL COSMUS ASSEMBLY

The ladies of the Lorel Cosmus still continues to gather bling Dunsmuir Hotel for the Tuesday afternoon assembly. This social assembly is a delightful series of dances, ... children's ... and interesting events of the ...

The serious audition was the ... Mrs. Hayden's home ... Mrs. Ellison ... Wednesday, Mrs. ... Thursday, Mrs. ... Friday, Mrs. ... Mrs. ... Mrs. ...

Mrs. Maude Otey is chairman of the entertainment. It is hoped that a social sunshine will be called to enable the ladies to prepare a suitable ... for the deserving children and their mothers.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Helen Martin, the pretty little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. ... Martin ... Ochs, Harry Belmont and Dr. ... Smith.

PRETTY DEBUTANTE

A pretty debutante of the coming week will be Miss Gladys Maxwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Maxwell. The event will take place Wednesday, December ..., at which over two hundred friends have been invited to welcome the charming Miss Gladys formally into society. Miss Maxwell and Miss Gladys will be assisted in receiving their guests by Mrs. Harry Sterling, Mrs. Harold Haven, Mrs. Robert Havens, Mr. Edward Eng, Mr. George Walker, Mr. Charles D. Gibson, Mr. D. A. ..., Mr. ..., Mr. Ralph Wilkins, Mr. Rudolph Wilkson, Mr. ..., Mr. Caswell, Mrs. R. Dunn, Mr. ..., Mrs. Harry Rosen, Mr. ..., Mr. Carl Nicholson, Mrs. Frances ..., Miss Blanche Penberthy, Miss Marie ..., Miss Henry, Miss Ethel Lotz, Miss ..., Miss Margaret, Miss Helen Calman, Miss Penn Floyd, Miss Corrine ...

Miss Maxwell is a charming and attractive girl who has recently returned from an Eastern finishing school. She will be pleasantly remembered as a debutante of last season and is the inspiration of many social affairs this season.

CHRISTMAS SALE

The Christmas sale of the Nineteenth Club will be held in the millinery parlors of Mrs. Clara Havens at City and Twelfth streets. The proceeds of this sale are to be used to provide Christmas dinner for the needy in the city and district. The ladies to furnish a Christmas tree for the children in the city and district and an evening game. This will be the fifth annual sale.

The sale will continue for five days and the committee in charge will be as follows: Monday, Mrs. Harry Cobb, Mrs. Beth Cobb, Mrs. ... Tuesday, Mrs. Burt Silver, Mrs. G. Ellison, Mrs. ... Wednesday, Mrs. ..., Mrs. ..., Mrs. ... Thursday, Mrs. ..., Mrs. ..., Mrs. ... Friday, Mrs. ..., Mrs. ..., Mrs. ...

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BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Helen Martin, the pretty little daughter of Mr. and Mr. J. ... Martin entertained a group of her young friends at a birthday luncheon yesterday at her parents home on Mendocino street. The dining room presented a lovely appearance with its decorations of dainty pink in the center of the table was a beautiful birthday cake surrounded by twelve pink candles.

After the discussion of the county fair the young people moved to the parlor with games and music. Those who shared Miss Helen's hospitality were Donald Osgood, Elmer Matthews, Alloy Jones, Myrtle Hustenson, Mildred Olson, Dorothy Lerfield, Hazel Shaw, Edna ..., Marie ..., Florence Morrison, Ruth ..., Erick Mathison, Clever ... and Orval Larson.

DELIGHTFUL EVENING

Last evening Miss Margaret Barclay entertained a group of musical friends at a musical recital in honor of Miss Wilfred Jun Morton and Mr. Fine Sign Antonio D. Grassi. To the pleasure of the guests Signor De Grassi's own songs, Dispiltos, beautifully rendered Miss Morton.

The delightful were the songs, "I Dream the Rubaiyat" and "Like Like This Eyes Away," which is the latest of Signor De Grassi's compositions. California inspiration in the form of the series of very ... given by the ... singers, Miss Ruth Lynch, Mrs. M. McKee Dewin, Miss Ruby Anna Moore, Miss Elizabeth Godwin, Enrique C. J. Mohler, M. W. Burkhalter and H. Berg.

RETURNED FROM CONVENTION

Mrs. Cora Jones, president of the Alameda district of the State Federation of Clubs, has returned from Venice where she has been attending the convention of the Los Angeles district. She reports a most interesting session and ... the highest ... of ... were noticed.

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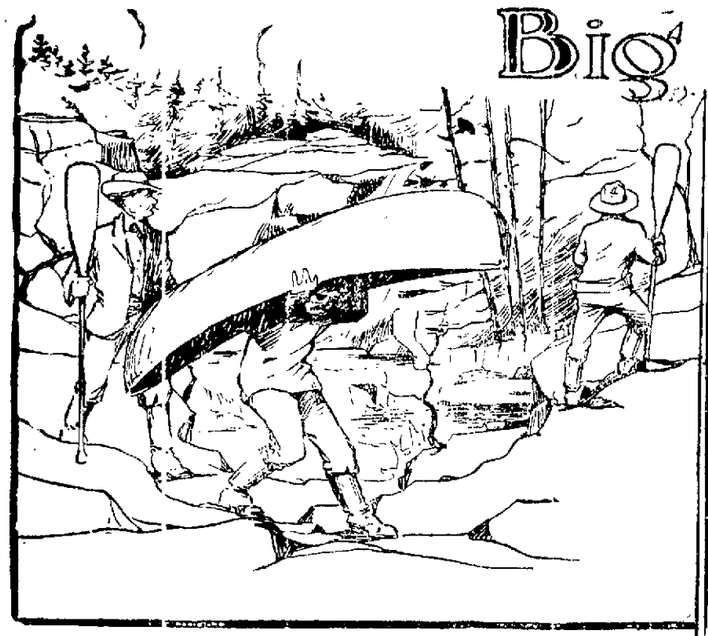
Big Chief Howling Wolf



RONALD FISHED FROM THE CANOE, BALANCING HIMSELF IN THE BOW

SYNOPSIS OF PREVIOUS INSTALMENTS.

RONALD BURLOW, a lad of almost 14, living in New York, is invited by his Uncle Hubert to go him and his sister, Florence, to his cottage in Nova Scotia, not far from Halifax. There Douglas greets the boy and girl and the three play "Indian" until the time arrives for Florence to return home and Douglas to go to school in Halifax. Uncle Hubert, who is an artist, then takes Ronald with him upon a hunting and fishing trip, into the wilds of Nova Scotia. Together with the guide, John, and the cook, Peter, they paddle upstream in birchbark canoes. Camp Howling Wolf is established, at first in a tent. Ronald examines a beaver dam, watches the cook make a real campfire and then "turns in."

(CONTINUED FROM LAST SUNDAY)

CHAPTER IV

A-TROUTING

"ALL out!" cried Uncle Hubert the next morning at 5 o'clock.

Ronald rubbed his eyes and blinked. At home he would have complained sorely were he obliged to rise at such an early hour, but here at camp it was different and he rolled out of his blanket willingly enough.

After a salvering dip in the stream nearby, followed by a brisk rubbing which set his blood a-tingle, he was ready to do justice to the appetizing breakfast cook had prepared.

"Now," said Uncle Hubert when the meal was finished, "we shall set to work building a cabin so that we can make our headquarters here."

SKILFUL LOGGERS

They brought their axes and soon were engaged in the task of selecting trees for cutting. Then John and the cook would take their stations at opposite sides of a trunk and the chips would fly, as with rapid strokes they deepened the notches until the tree, being deprived of sufficient support, would crash to the earth.

Ronald was admiring the precision with which the guides could make a tree fall in exactly the position they desired.

"Yes, they have extraordinary skill," commented Uncle Hubert. "Watch this," said he, as he drove a stake into the ground some distance from a tree the guides were felling.

The men grinned at Uncle Hubert and the next moment made their tree fall directly over the stake, driving it deep into the ground.

This work of cutting timber appeared so easy that the lad begged his uncle to be allowed to try. Uncle Hubert smiled in a curious way, but said nothing. When Ronald started to swing his axe however, he found it to be not quite so simple a matter as he had expected. In the first place, he handled the axe awkwardly, and then, when the edge landed upon the trunk it usually glanced off or bounced back, scarcely leaving an impression.

Finally he threw down the axe in disgust, exclaiming: "It'd take me a whole day to cut down a single tree."

"Oh, don't despair; it takes practice, you know," his uncle replied, consolingly.

For two days Uncle Hubert, John and Peter cut down trees and trimmed them, Ronald aiding in hacking off the branches. And on the third day they notched the logs and placed them in position, so that a roomy cabin rose in place of their tent. A hearth was fitted up for the cook, the kitchen being separated from the living and sleeping room by a canvas partition.

"That's as comfortable a dwelling as one could wish!" exclaimed Uncle Hubert, as he shook his head approvingly after a last inspection.

And as Roland looked upon his new home in the forest, and watched the chattering squirrels as they scampered across the roof in mad pursuit of one another, a great happiness stole over him in the thought that he had escaped from the restraint of city life and now could enjoy the glorious freedom of the woods to his heart's content.

At breakfast the following morning Uncle Hubert announced:

"We're going trouting today, my lad. The boating season for trout closes here on September 30, so if you want to make use of the fishing license I got for you in Halifax you'll have to be busy. Now, let's have a look at our fishing apparatus."

He drew out rods, fly book and tackle box, proceeding at once to explain their various uses to Ronald.

Selecting a rod for a subject, he began:

FISHING LORE

"The trout in this region run to a pretty good size. Three pounds is a good weight for a trout, but I've caught trout around here that weighed as much as ten pounds. Now, my boy, in main strength I've no doubt you're a match for any ten-pound trout alive. But you must remember that the rod is quite fragile, and that it is skill, not strength, that counts. This rod, you see, is about eleven feet in length; it weighs about seven ounces, and it is provided with a single-action click reel. You will find that the tip is very flexible. In putting the rod together, the tip is first joined to the middle portion and then the end is firmly attached. Fasten the reel and run the line through the guides. A word more as to the strength of your equipment: Your line will lift at least ten pounds weight; the snell (that piece of catgut by which your hook is attached to the line) will support, say, three pounds; the hook itself, more than the snell; while the top of the rod will rarely lift more than two pounds dead weight. So, if your tip is safe when fishing, you may be sure that the rest of the tackle is standing the strain.

"As for flies," continued he, selecting several from a pocket in the fly book, "there's a great deal to learn, and very few hard-and-fast rules. Flies with which some persons fish with success are of no use to others. However, as a general rule, you may use small, sober-colored flies when the day is bright or the water is very clear, and large, gaudy flies when the sky is dark or the water is muddy and discolored. I prefer flies that resemble insects the most closely. Sometimes trout will not rise at all for flies. And then, too, some streams have been fished so often that the fish become very crafty, and it takes an expert fisherman to meet with great luck. Indeed, I've found that in any stream or pond where fish are plenty and the waters are rarely fished, the trout will rise to most any kind of bait, and quite readily, during any hour of the day."

After these preliminary instructions Uncle Hubert called John, and donning wading boots, the three started off toward the stream upon which they had journeyed from home. Farther up the creek they went, being obliged to make frequent portages.

Some time later Uncle Hubert directed John to make for shore.

"Here," he said, "is where Ronald is going to catch the twenty trout which the law allows him for today."

"Well, I'm going to try to catch one, even if I can't find twenty," stoutly replied the boy.

UNCLE HUBERT LANDS A TROUT

It was a wild-looking place. Firs and pines edged the banks of a stream, which for the greater part of its course careened over rocks and dashed against boulders, forming innumerable cascades and miniature waterfalls.

Uncle Hubert walked along the bank to where the stream seemed wildest. He cautiously waded out in shallow water, and, motioning for Ronald to attend his actions closely, made a cast downstream, where there was a little eddy formed in the shelter of rocks. In casting the line Ronald observed that there was really a double motion. First, Uncle Hubert swung the line backward until it was straight out in the air; then, with a twist of the wrist, it was sent flying forward to about the height of his head, when the rod was thrust forward and the fly settled gently upon the surface of the water. Then the fisherman gave the fly a slight fluttering motion, as if drowning insects would have, avoiding any churning or dashing motion. He advanced slowly, fishing every spot thoroughly and cast only about twenty feet of line through it and saw that he could throw it a distance of forty feet without the least difficulty.

All at once there was a bobbin of the line, and the next instant a very form leaped from the water. At the same time Uncle Hubert quickly lowered the tip of his rod a few inches to relieve the tension of the line, and he began to play the fish. When the trout darted merely away, he permitted the line to spin from the reel, but as soon as the fish approached and there was a slack in the line he quickly rewound it. The fish being exhausted slowly but surely drew it closely in. At last, after minutes of excitement, during which the game trout would renew its efforts to escape again and again, Uncle Hubert drew the prize to where John was standing with landing net in hand. Another moment and the brave fellow was a prisoner.

"Four pounds to an ounce!" cried John joyously. While Ronald examined with admiration the crimson and yellow spots along the back and sides, contrasting with the gleaming silver underneath.

"Brave as a lion, trout," added Uncle Hubert, as he tied to the leader (a gut between the line proper and the hook) of Ronald's line two flies a couple of feet apart.

Stealthily the boy waded out, casting his line as cleverly as possible. For some minutes he fished, and he was beginning to feel somewhat discouraged. Then he decided to make a try under an overhanging bank along shore.

No sooner did the line sink a few below the surface of the water than he felt a fierce pull.

"Let out your line! Give the fish room!" cried Uncle Hubert, excitedly.

Ronald's fingers trembled with excitement as he matched his skill against the craft of the fish. After many an adroit escapes, which seemed that the fish would get among the treacherous rocks, bring it the fish to where John, with a dexterous sweep of the net, had the fish safely caught.

"Two fish! Two fish!" grunted John.

"By George, uncle, I've got a trout on each of the flies!" shouted Ronald, leaping up and down in joy.

"Well done, my boy!" said Uncle Hubert, congratulating him on the size of the fish, each of which weighed quite as much as that captured by the man.

They now made a portage of the canoe some little distance upstream, where in more sheltered water, Ronald fished from the canoe, balancing himself in a way that brought a compliment even from the taciturn John. Here the boy was again successful, and landed another speckled trout.

Luncheon was eaten ashore. Afterward Uncle Hubert and Ronald went to inspect a waterfall about a mile to the north.

While they were examining it Ronald suddenly cried:

"Look at that fish trying to leap the falls, uncle!"

A SALMON'S VAIN ATTEMPTS

They watched the big fellow try repeatedly to scale the wall of water. Vaulting into the air, with twisting of fins and tail he vainly endeavored to clear the barrier.

"It must be a salmon, come all the way up from the sea," explained Uncle Hubert. "They travel great distances from the estuaries, sleeping only when some little such as this, or a lumberman's dam, impedes progress. You know, they can't leap over a cataract or falls more than eight feet in height.

"But, uncle, I fear we shall have to be starting for Camp Howling Wolf if we want to have supper in good time. And the fish should be cleaned and cooked as soon after they're caught as possible."

With the three trout Ronald had taken keeping company with the five landed by Uncle Hubert, Ronald felt that the wicker basket slung over his shoulder represented a fine day's sport.

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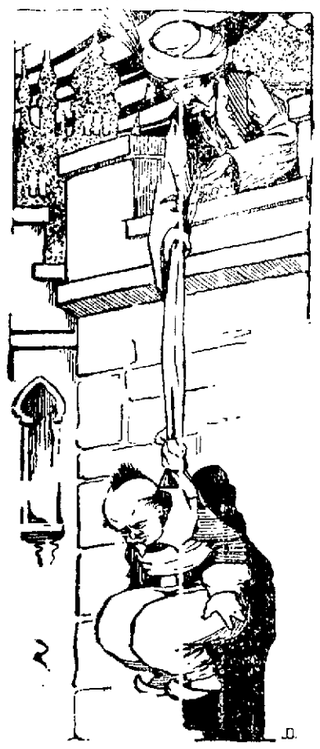
Maboul the Dwarf



BURSTING into the shop, his eyes shining with excitement, the tailor cried unto his wife:

"Hurry to prepare the very best supper you can! I have just been to the palace to deliver a waistcoat to the sultan, and I have invited the sultan's jester to dine with me this evening."

"You mean the dwarf, Maboul?" replied the wife. "Yes, I admit that I shall have a supper he will long remember."

And to such good purpose did she labor that when Maboul arrived, an hour or so later, he rubbed his hands in glee at the tempting array of dishes spread before him.

Unfortunately, however, hardly had the guest taken the first mouthful of the delicious trout, which lay glistening in silver and gold, than a bone stuck in his throat, and he choked. To make the tailor pounded him upon the back and applied every known remedy. Finally the dwarf ceased to writhe, his breathing stopped and he lay motionless on the ground.

"What shall we do?" lamented the tailor. "If we admit the death of the jester, surely the sultan will demand my life."

But his wife already had a plan in mind. Acting upon her suggestion, the tailor wrapped the dwarf in a sheet and stole forth with his burden to the house of a doctor. The doctor, roused from sleep, called down from a window above. Explaining that he had brought a patient, the tailor propped the body against the door and then hastily betook himself away.

After the doctor had quickly donned his clothes he came downstairs. Impatiently opening the door, he sent the body of the dwarf hurtling down the steps. Through the darkness, the physician descended to the bottom of the flight, and there discovered to his dismay that the dwarf was dead.

"I must have killed the sick person by knocking him downstairs," was the doctor's first thought. He dragged the body up to his for a further examination. Then, assuring himself that the dwarf was indeed lifeless, he lowered the body over a casement to the pavement below.

Minutes later a barber was returning home from an evening of revelry, when he perceived what he believed to be a thief in the shadow of the wall.

"Stop thief!" he shouted with all his might, grappling with the supposed burglar. Soon the police came running to his aid.

"You have killed the man!" exclaimed the policeman.

The horrified barber was arrested. Next day he was condemned to be hanged. But just as the noose was about to be placed around his neck, the physician slipped forward, crying:

"Hold, the man is innocent! It was I who killed the jester."

So the noose was placed around the neck of the physician. Just at this moment the tailor appeared.

"Do not hang the man!" cried he. "Maboul was killed by swallowing a fishbone in my dwelling."

Thereupon the astonished officials substituted the tailor in place of the doctor. In the meantime, however, word was sent to the sultan concerning the affair, and he commanded them to be brought before him.

Now, when the three appeared before the sultan, groaning and wailing, the body of Maboul was brought also. And when he saw the dwarf, the royal physician stepped forward, asking the sultan if he had not better make a closer examination of the body.

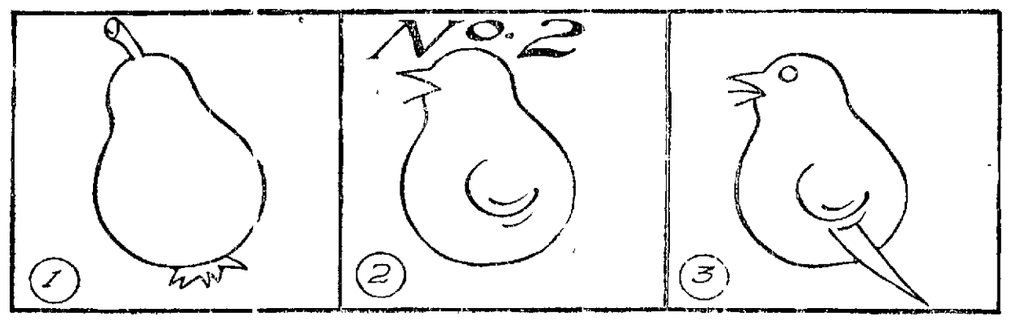
Assenting to this, the court doctor tickled the sole of Maboul's foot.

Instantly the supposed dead man revived and, almost bursting with laughter, yelled:

"Ha! ha! ha! Quit tickling me!"

The fishbone was dislodged and Maboul was himself again, greatly surprised to find himself in the presence of the sultan.

Troubles of an Ambitious Pear

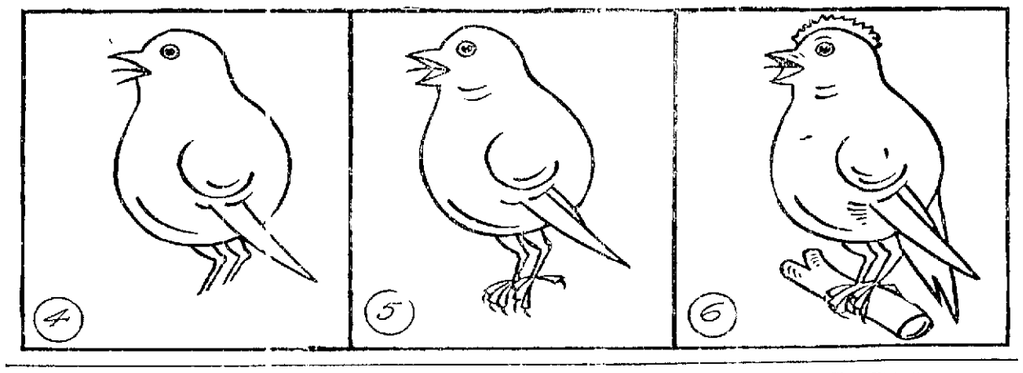


"I CANNOT bear,
Complained the pear,
"To always be
Just stupid me—
A pear unknown,
Forlorn, alone."

At once a change,
Most passing strange,
Came o'er this rare,
Ambitious pear:
He soon became
A robin tame.

The bird, they say,
To his dismay,
No victuals found
Upon the ground.
For, please remember,
'Twas in December.

NOW the Ambitious Pear became a robin on purpose to give Polly Evans' friends among the little girls and boys a nice drawing-lesson. And the Pear especially asks that you try your very best to change him from his first form to a dainty robin. Next week the Ambitious Pear will give another lesson which every one of you will be able to copy.



Untidy Streets.

At the age of 5 Ruby made her first visit to a large city, and having previously learned something of neat housekeeping, she, on observing the large number of telegraph, telephone and electric light wires, exclaimed, "Papa, what makes them have so many cobwebs in the street?"

Pity Wasted.

"I'm sorry, Willie," said a friend, "that your father's house was burned down yesterday. Was there nothing saved?"

"Don't you waste no pity on me," was the quick reply, "pa's old clothes was all buried in that fire, and now ma can never make 'em up for me."

Why She Didn't.

Priscilla—Whenever Jonas gets angry with me he pulls my hair!

Foul Uncle—Too bad! Do you pull his, too?

Priscilla—No, sir.

Foul Uncle (pleased)—And why, dear?

Priscilla—Because 'taint long enough.

Dickman's Den

THERE was ever so much to do at Carmestile, near Dundee, Scotland, where Roy Mortimer was spending a few weeks with his Aunt Abigail. A golf course lay by the sea, extending over grassy reaches. And then, it was very interesting, indeed, to walk among the sandhills, which were covered with fine yellow sand blown by the wind into little waves and sand hillocks. And among the of reeds seagulls made their nests, little holes in the sand, over which the birds flew, screaming, warningly, when people came too near the nests. Sometimes, too, the gulls were disturbed by the large practice of the volunteers at Barry. Roy found on the sand a pound shell, and very heavy it was to carry home, too.

But most enjoyable of all was a trip along the coast among caves and cliffs. Those at Ardrossan were especially fascinating. Under the guidance of cousin, Emma, who had often explored these cavernous recesses, he was shown Mason's Cave, after having examined the rock called the Devil's Head. At the end of this cave, which ran back about 100 yards, there was a bubbling spring of clear, cold water.

"Suppose we lunch here," suggested Roy, setting down the lunch basket which by this time had grown unusually heavy, and handing his cousin a drink from a silver cup.

"There's a cave nearby that is much nicer," replied Emma.

So they trudged to Dickman's Den. A little channel from the sea ran up to it, by which, Emma said, the smugglers of the past used to bring their goods illegally to land, under the very noses of the coast guardsmen.

Having enjoyed luncheon, the two started for the entrance of the cave. As soon as they stepped outside they observed that the rain clouds looked very threatening.

"We're going to have rain within a few moments," reflected Emma. "But I don't believe it will last long. Suppose we spend a little time in the cave until the storm is over."

In the meantime the wind had risen and the waves now began to beat against the rocks and cliffs with violence. Shortly the rain fell and the boy and girl were only too glad to retire to the shelter offered by the cave.

It soon begins to grow very tiresome however. Roy strolled toward the mouth of the cave. Stepping he picked up a fragment of stone and flung it carelessly toward the wall. To his great surprise, the stone, instead of rebounding, seemed to have gone right through the wall. Roy walked quickly toward the spot, while he had aimed. He he found, by lighting a match, which lit up the dark, gloomy walls, that the round door seemed to have been let into the rock. It must have rolled, because of great age, inasmuch as the stone had crashed through it so readily.

"Come on, let's see what this place is!" cried he, excitedly, to his cousin. With a large rock he succeeded in battering in the rest of the door, effecting a large enough entrance. From the apartment beyond there came such a rush of evil-smelling gas that the boy and girl were almost overcome. Roy wisely took some paper from the lunch basket, and, after lighting it, tossed it into the secret chamber.

When it was safe for them to venture in, they crawled through the little door, finding themselves in a room apparently cleft from the solid rock, about eight feet square and seven feet high.

All at once Roy discovered, by means of the lighted paper which he carried, an old chest in one corner. It was a matter of only a few moments for him to drag it out through the door into the main cave. Again the large rock was utilized to break in the lid. Although rather difficult, this was at last accomplished.

Then, exposed to the eyes of the astonished boy and girl were all manner of rich silks and fabrics, carefully bundled and wrapped in old silks.

Delighted with their discovery, they took some of the goods, putting the chest back where they had found it, and started for home, now that it had stopped raining.

"I'll be the things were left by smugglers," declared Roy. And so said the guardsman when Roy showed them the samples of the goods contained in the chest and reported where the rest of the goods were.

Of course, the chest of silks was confiscated by the government, but Roy and Emma felt more than repaid by their adventure and by the compliments of the coast guardsman.

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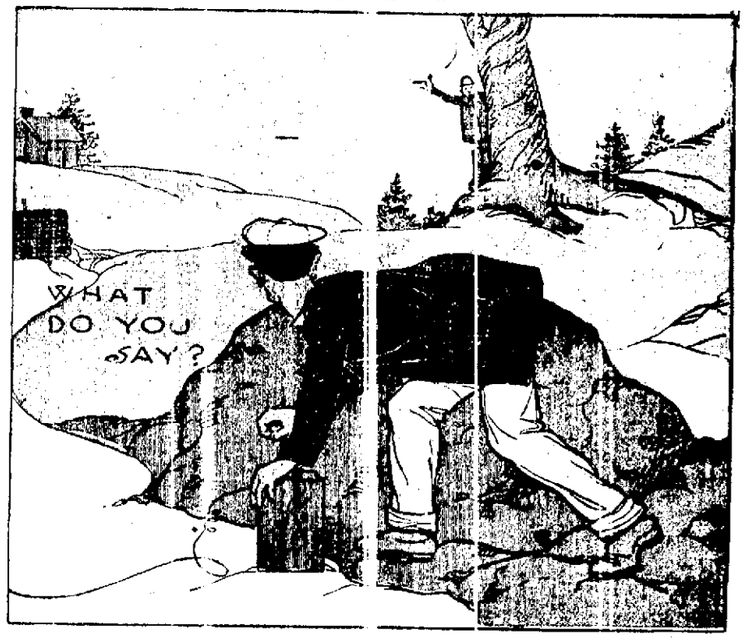
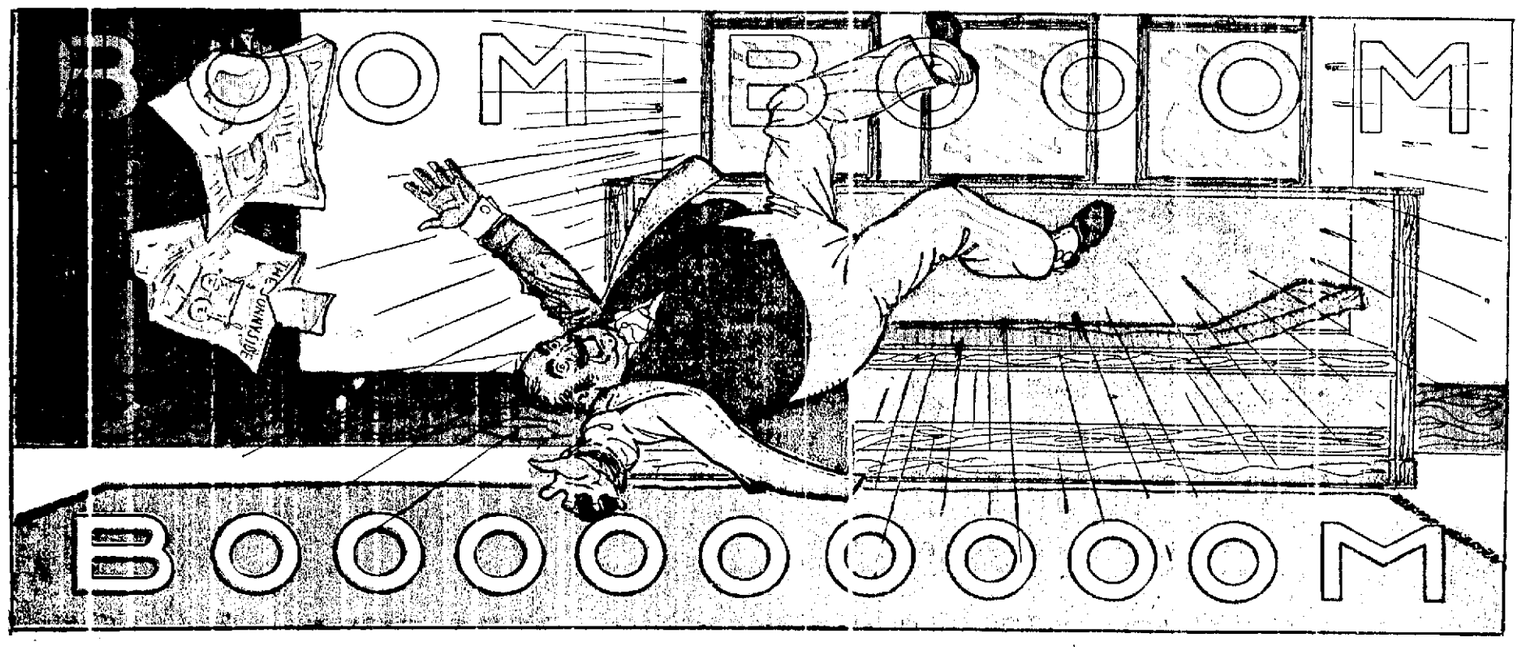
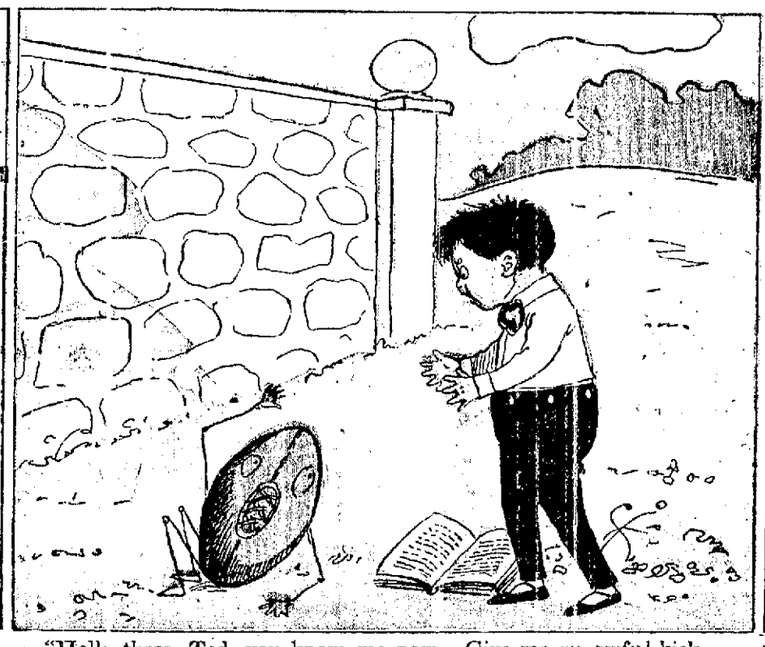


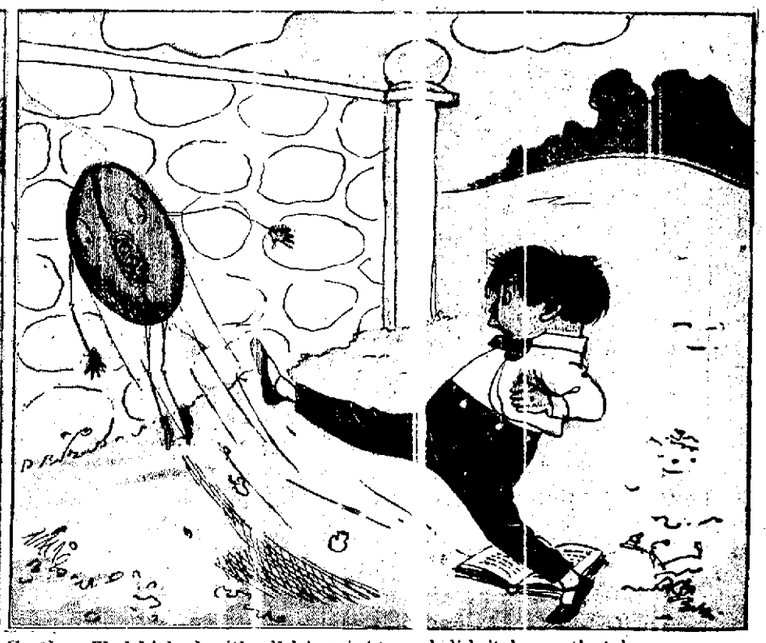


TED'S OBJECT LESSON---F-O-O-T-B-A-L-L AND N-O-S-E-G-U-A-R-D

"F-O-O-T-B-A-L-L—now that word I don't know
My lesson is so very hard, it makes me study so."

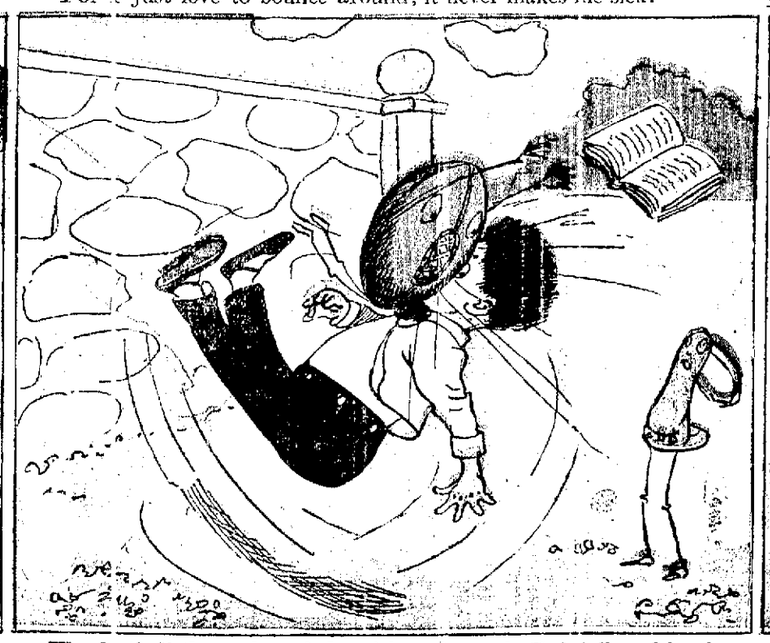


"Hello there, Ted, you know me now. Give me an awful kick,
For I just love to bounce around; it never makes me sick."



So then Ted kicked with all his might, and didn't know that he
Had kicked it 'gainst a big stone wall, where 'twould rebound quickly.

Oh, my! what is N-O-S-E-G-U-A-R-D now?
I wonder if it might not be a great, big muley cow."



The football then rebounded quick and struck Ted full and hard.
"I should have that thing on me now; I fear my nose is marred.

"N-O-S-E-G-U-A-R-D spells noseguard I see;
F-O-O-T-B-A-L-L is footba , that's easy."

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142 BODIES FOUND IN MINE DEBRIS

DR. MINER IS SCORED BY LAWYER

"No Decency in His Heart," Dramatically Cries Attorney For Physician's Wife.

Points Out Tangle In the Testimony

Declares Either Berkeley Doctor Or His Sister Committed Perjury Concerning Armes' Postal.

SANTA CRUZ, Nov. 28. — The excoriation which Dr. Miner received from Attorney Elliott as a part of the concluding argument in the Miner divorce suit was probably the most caustic that has been delivered in Judge Smith's court in some years. Among the things that the attorney charged was that Dr. Miner or his sister was guilty of perjury in regard to the testimony they gave concerning a certain postal card that Professor William Dallam Armes had sent Mrs. Miner, the sister testifying that Mrs. Miner had shown that the card had been received by Mrs. Miner in Chicago after she had left New York.

If Dr. Miner's testimony that he did not send the card to his sister in New York were true, then the sister had perjured herself, and if he had sent the card and then denied it on the stand, he had committed the offense, said Elliot.

Scores Physician

He characterized Dr. Miner's attempt to bastardize his children as the most abject and the most malicious attempt to bluff his wife into silence and make her retreat from the stand she had taken.

He then reviewed the evidence that tended to show that Dr. Miner attempted to kiss everything in petticoats around the household.

In referring to the placing of Dean Miner, the young son, on the stand, Attorney Elliott dramatically said:

"A boy should be taught to respect and honor his mother; to defend the honor of his mother, but this boy was drilled day after day for months to say that his mother smoked cigarettes, kicked on the doorpost and other awful things. There's no magnanimity or even decency in the heart of a father who will make his boy do that, and I predict that within five years from now that boy, Dean, will come to me and Mr. Natherton and thank us from the bottom of his heart for defending the honor of his mother, when his father was attacking it.

"Filthy Charges"

"You have a mouth too foul for utterance; a heart that is as black as Hades, and out of your black soul you can concoct charges of the most malicious and vilest nature against the mother of your children," continued Attorney Elliot. "You have come into court here with an answer which attacks the chastity of your wife and then testify on the witness stand that what you say is true, yet on cross-examination you confess that what you have testified to was all false and you admit your malicious attacks. You have failed to produce one line of evidence to prove that the filthy charges brought against your wife were founded on the truth. What you said about her was based on mere suspicion, yet you claimed it was true and then admitted that it was all untrue.

"You have made an answer in which you declared that you did not know who was the father of these children, yet you come into court and fight for their custody. You have admitted coaching your boy of thirteen to testify against his mother. You have told here on the witness stand that you have talked the case over with him three or four times, and had all this testimony ready for him when this trial went on. In your conversations with the boy you were base enough to call her 'a woman' and 'that woman,' and not once did you teach your son to call his mother by that tender name."

Confesses Kissing

Dr. Miner was scored hard on the point he made in his answer when he denied kissing and hugging girls, yet

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PEREMPTORY AUCTION SALE.

Under foreclosure of chattel mortgage we have been instructed to sell the entire furnishings of No. 1135 Myrtle street, between 12th and 14th streets, Oakland. Sale Tuesday, December 1, at 11 a. m., comprising in part: Fine upright piano, Brussels carpets, odd parlor pieces, lace curtains, portieres, pictures, bric-a-brac, hall rack, sideboard, dining table, chairs, to match, china and glassware, mantle clock, rockers, stands, folding beds, iron beds, bedroom suits, bedding, chiffoniers, couches, sewing machine, kitchen furniture, gas range, garden tools, etc., etc.

All must be sold. House to rent.

J. A. MUNRO & Co., Auctioneers.

Divorce Evil Appalling and Must Be Checked, Says Cardinal Gibbons

Social System Is Threatened

Prelate Says Marriage Now Little Better Than Free-Love

BALTIMORE, Md., Nov. 28. — "Shocking, appalling and striking at the very roots of our social system," were the terms applied today by Cardinal Gibbons, the most eminent member of the Catholic Church in America, in discussing the divorce facts as set forth in the figures that have just been given out by the census bureau. These figures show a startling growth in the divorce evil in the United States, disclosing that one marriage in twelve ends in divorce, and that divorces are two and one-half times as common as forty years ago.

Cardinal Gibbons, who is supremely interested in the divorce evil, and who has for years preached and written against it, has studied the statistics the government has just given out and is deeply impressed by them. He believes the divorce evil can be checked only by a deeper regard for the teachings of the church and that society should shun those who are divorced instead of receiving the divorced woman or man, as it now does, as if nothing had happened.

Revelation Appaling

"The statistics given out by the census bureau," said Cardinal Gibbons, "are simply shocking. The revelations

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CARDINAL JAMES GIBBONS.

LAYS BARE LOVES OF BENNETT

Counsel for Mother of His Child Scores the Millionaire.

ASSERTS RICH MAN RUINED YOUNG GIRL

Flitted From One Sweetheart to Another to Suit His Caprice.

PARIS, Nov. 28. The trial of the suit of Juliette Shettler against James Gordon Bennett for recognition of paternity was continued today. A large crowd was attracted to the first chamber of the civil tribunal. Well-known society people stood for hours in the stifling court listening to Maitre Desjardins' bitter onslaught on the famous millionaire.

He pointed out that a young girl of irreproachable character had only succumbed to the fraudulent maneuvers and violent abduction of a man old enough to be her father.

"Mr. Bennett," said Maitre Desjardins, "at the time he carried her off in a locked compartment of a train from the Gar du Norde, was thirty-eight years old. He had courted this girl for three months, but had met only refusal. Then he resorted to abduction and brutal violence. In the legal sense of the word, he 'sequestered' her until long after the birth of her child—first in Brussels, where he kept her a month in a private house; then in London, where he established her in a cottage, surrounded by servants and creatures of his own. At times he left her to go hunting or yachting, but always sent a daily telegram of instructions and love.

Took Her to Paris

"Finally he took her back to No. 10 Rue Pasquien, Paris, where still she was under his domination and control, and provided his own physician, Dr John McGavitt, when the child was born.

"After three years," continued M. Desjardins, "his affection was for another. His fidelity really lasted for a

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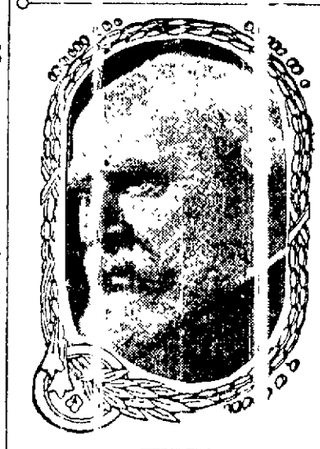
Remains Badly Mangled by Tons of Coal Which Crashed Down on Men

JAMES J. HILL, WHO DECLARES TARIFF MUST BE REVISED



RAILROAD MAN ADVOCATES CHANGE.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—"If Congress does not revise the tariff, then the next Congress will. The people will attend to that part of the question."

James J. Hill, foremost promoter of the northwest and champion of the northwestern farmer, made this assertion today. He had been talking on a different subject with George W. Perkins, chairman of the finance committee of the Steel Trust, when asked for an expression of a view on Mr. Carnegie's declaration against a protective tariff, particularly on steel.

"I have not read Mr. Carnegie's article," said Mr. Hill. "So I cannot discuss it in detail, but my views on the tariff, particularly on the question of reciprocity with Canada, I have expressed on various occasions. I believe that the most natural and rational, the most highly profitable commercial status between Canada and the United States is absolute freedom of trade.

"That commerce must eventually move unrestrained between these two peoples is self-evident. Why not strike off the shackles now and let it move more freely instead of paying the heavy penalty of delay?"

Mr. Hill went to Washington today, but he said he did not intend to appear before the house committee on ways and means which is conducting an inquiry into the tariff question.

WOMEN GO INSANE AT PIT

275 Thought To Be Dead In Wreckage

Terrific Explosion Occurs Few Minutes After Mine Inspector Left Workmen at the Bottom of Shaft

MARIANNA, Pa., Nov. 28.—At midnight the rescuers, penetrating through a portion of the shaft, came upon the bodies of 142 men, most of whom had been killed instantly by the debris flung upon them by the explosion. Many of the remains were badly mangled. Eighteen bodies were immediately carried to to the top of the shaft, where they were encoffined. Six others killed at the top of the shaft had been previously recovered. Whether any more remain in the wrecked mine will not be known until morning.

BROKE THROUGH GUARD

When she learned that her husband was among the dead, Mrs. Joseph Jones broke through the guard of fifty State Constabulary and attempted to dash herself to the bottom of the mine. She was caught and restrained just as she was about to make the fatal jump. Mrs. George Acker became violently insane when she heard that her husband was in the mine and was arrested and placed under restraint.

Story of Accident

MARIANNA, PA., NOV. 28.—WITHIN THREE MINUTES AFTER A STATE INSPECTOR AND THE MINE SUPERINTENDENT HAD RETURNED FROM AN INSPECTION OF THE DISTRICT, THE MODEL MARIANNA MINE OF THE PITTSBURG-BUFFALO COAL COMPANY WAS BLOWN UP BY A TREMENDOUS EXPLOSION TODAY.

TWO HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-FIVE MEN WERE ENTOMBED BENEATH THE THOUSANDS OF TONS OF COAL CAVING IN UPON THEM AT A DEPTH OF 640 FEET, AND THE AUTHORITIES DO NOT BELIEVE THAT A SINGLE MAN HAS ESCAPED.

The Marianna mine, which has been in operation less than three months, was considered the model mine of the world. Every device known to modern invention had been installed to prevent just such a tragedy as occurred today. But the very machinery which was to have made accident impossible hampered the rescuers at their work, for they did not understand the wonderful mechanism which bolstered the great mine with such a network of contrivances that the diggers found it difficult to bore through them to the bodies of the men lying dead in the bottom of the shaft.

Terrific Blast

The explosion came just before the noon hour in the Rachael shaft. It was so terrific that the blast blowing up the whole length of the deep shaft, tore loose the giant elevator cage at the surface of the mine and hurled it three hundred feet away.

Two men were in the cage at the time. Both were instantly killed, the head of one of them being blown off.

Rescuers to the number of 200 immediately began burrowing at the south of the mine in an effort to dig down through the tremendous masses

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ELEGANT ELECTRIC FIXTURES.

Large stock to select from. Century Electric and Fixture Company.

Mockers Ejected From Local Cafe

FOREIGNERS AROUSE IRE OF SONS OF REVOLUTION BY PRESUMPTIVE ACTION

That the blood of their revolutionary ancestors had been transmitted with all the rebellious fire of 1776, was brought strongly into evidence at the Hotel St. Mark last night at the first Oakland celebration of the tion.

Two foreigners presumed to mock the patriotic sentiments expressed by the speakers at the banquet board, and for their presumption were unceremoniously ejected from the hotel dining room.

There is a difference regarding the identity of the men whose insolence offended the banquetters.

Identity Mystery

According to L. G. Faulkner, the chauffeur, who took the men and their women companions away from the hotel, the foreigners are Count Jourfroy d'Abrans of the French Consulate's office in San Francisco and Prince Von Vretman, a Swedish nobleman of proud lineage. The hotel management claims that they are the secretaries of the French and German Consulates.

But, whoever they are, they were accompanied by four women, and they succeeded in thoroughly arousing the ire of the banquet guests.

The men and their party of women were the only ones in the dining-room, with the exception of the banquetters.

Mimic Speakers

After the speaking had begun, the foreigners mimicked the speakers, applauded with designed offense, and otherwise greatly annoyed those who had been asked to respond to the toasts.

Several times they were requested to refrain from making a disturbance,

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President-Elect Taft Turns Down Wineglass at a Dinner Tonight

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Nov. 28.—Comment was made at a small dinner last night on the fact that Mr. Taft's wineglass was turned down.

"Yes, and it is going to stay turned down," he said. "I am not going to drink again ever."

"You never did drink enough so that anyone could notice it," said a boyhood friend.

"What is the matter with the people?" the President-elect exclaimed. "Do they think I am going to be any different after I am inaugurated?"

Nive Valuable Horses Burned In a Big Fire

REDDING, Cal., Nov. 28.—In a fire at Coram this morning five horses belonging to Jesse Sutton, teaming contractor, were burned to death. Nine horses were gotten out of the building in safety. Hugo Murray and Jacob Hall, teamsters, were asleep in the barn and were burned about the head and hands. Their beds were on fire when they were awakened.

Exiled President's Return Reported

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—News has been brought to this city by the officers of the steamer City of Para, arriving here from Southern ports, that General Herrera, former President of Honduras, for whom a reward is said to have been offered by the government of Gautemala, has returned from his exile in Europe to the Central American coast. He is reported to have crossed the Atlantic on a regular liner, and, going to Panama, to have taken passage on the City of Para under an assumed name. When recognized by persons who knew him Herrera is stated to have admitted his identity.

California at The Seattle Fair

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 28.—Yukon Exposition Commissioners Fitcher and Wiggins today completed a review of all the work of the commission to date, and found everything satisfactory. Plans were adopted for a central pavilion in the California building, where Californians from all leading sections can have headquarters and accommodations.

Noted Publisher Dies of Paralysis

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Samuel Shepard Rogers, business manager and assistant to the publisher of the Chicago Daily News and for two years president of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, died today at Crystal Lake, Ill., of paralysis, after an illness of eighteen months.

Stockton's Reform Police Commissioner Is Caught Tippling With Chorus Girls

STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 28.—Political circles are excited over the announcement that Mayor Hudson will either suspend or call for a resignation from Ernest Wagner, president of the Police and Fire Commission, who was discovered at 3 o'clock in the morning drinking champagne in Madden's cafe with three chorus girls from "The Time, the Place and the Girl" company.

Wagner was an ardent reformer and helped to pass the ordinance which restricted Stockton saloons. It is reported that he offered to promote to chieftaincy Captain Craig, who arrested him, providing the affair was not made public.

People generally believe that Wagner is the victim of a scheme promoted by saloonmen and others antagonistic to the reform movement.

Wireless Around World Is the Scheme of Admiral

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Plans have been announced by Rear Admiral William S. Cowles, chief of the equipment bureau at Washington, which provides for the eventual establishment of wireless communication around the world. Some day, Admiral Cowles is confident that the day is not far distant, Uncle Sam from his chair in the White House can direct the ships of his fleets, no matter in which of the seven seas they may be cruising.

The cornerstone of this stupendous achievement will be laid when work is begun in the near future on a high-powered long-distance wireless station at Washington.

High-powered stations similar to the one soon to be constructed in Washington will be established along the Pacific coast. The next steps will be stations in Hawaii, Guam, Samoa and the Philippines.

PROMINENT ELK DISAPPEARS WITH FUNDS BELONGING TO NATIVE SONS

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28. — Lewis M. Bannan, a prominent Elk, Native Son, Bay City Wheelman and member of several other local organizations, has disappeared and with him has gone over $5400 belonging to Sequoia Parlor, No 160, N. S. G. W., the lodge of which Bannan was treasurer. He has not been seen for twelve days, and, although all members of the lodge accuse him of absconding with the funds, no effort is being made to apprehend him, as it is believed that his brother, William, a stock broker of this city, will make good the shortage.

Bannan has cared for the lodge's funds for about ten years and was never suspected of dishonesty until about three weeks ago, when it was decided to move half of the reserve fund from the Hibernia Bank to another depository. But the trustees found that there was no money in the bank and that Bannan had left town.

Miss Margaret Bannan, 2130 Pierce street, a school teacher, and sister of the missing treasurer, said today:

"I knew nothing at all about my brother's troubles. We have not seen him for several weeks and have no idea where he has gone."

William Bannan, 1437 Harrison street, Oakland, a brother of the absconding treasurer, said tonight:

"My brother's shortage has been called to my attention this week by a committee from Sequoia Parlor. I have already paid $500 to the surety company and promised to make good to the lodge too if the members would keep the matter quiet until I had a chance to communicate with Lewis. He had no bad habits and I think the money is invested in mines and water rights near Chico."

Jas. E. Wilson, Matinee Idol, Gets Divorce From His Wife Who Was Miss Helen Woodruff

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—That James E. Wilson, some-time matinee idol and the "leading heavy" in "The Man of the Hour," was seeking to be freed from the marriage yoke became known today, when it was announced that he had been this week granted a divorce from his wife, Mary E. Wilson.

Wilson's suit was begun a year ago, but unusual efforts were made to keep the matter quiet, and the testimony was taken in the office of the referee, Mark S. Holstein.

Wilson's mother testified to indiscretions of the defendant in the Wilson home at Fairmont, N. Y., while other witnesses told of doings at the Shoreham Inn, Shoreham, L. I., which influenced Justice Bischel, in the Supreme Court, when the case came before him on final motion.

Mrs. Wilson was the leader of a Bohemian set in the gay life of San Francisco about seventeen years ago. Wilson was playing leads in a stock company at that time and was popular socially. His engagement was announced to Miss McLaughlin, who was murdered at Santa Cruz, Cal., about a year ago, by her father, Major Frank McLaughlin, politician and mining operator, who committed suicide after he had killed his daughter.

Religious differences were said to be the cause of the breaking of the engagement, and in a spirit of pique Wilson surprised his friends by marrying the dashing Helen Woodruff, the name by which the woman whom the actor has just divorced was then known.

Knowland Name As State's Delegate

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 28.—Governor Gillett today appointed Congressman J. R. Knowland of California a delegate to represent this State at the weights and measures conference to be held in Washington, D. C., December 17.

BOY WANTED

A good, bright boy, about 16 or 17 years old, wanted to work in Drug Department. Inquire for Mr. Stone. 1002 Clay St., Oakland.

BETROTHAL ANNOUNCED AT PRETTY RECEPTION

MISS FANNIE POTTER,
Whose Engagement Was Announced Yesterday

At a reception given yesterday by Mrs K E Johnson of Alameda the engagement was announced of Miss Fannie Potter of Oakland and Harry Johnson son of the hostess. The affair was given in honor of Mrs Colin Nicol (Ruby Johnson), who is soon to join her husband in Canada.

The Johnson home on Hawthorne street was beautifully decorated for the occasion, autumn foliage being used profusely and huge bunches of American beauty roses adding to the brilliancy of the scene. Mrs Johnson was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs Colin Nicol, Mrs P P McLennan, Mrs Sidney Ashby Allen, Mrs Emory Elliott, Miss Laurilla Murdock, Miss Tisdale, Miss Fannie Potter, Mrs Henry Lund, Mrs Richard Derby, the Misses Hall and Miss Maude Benson.

Miss Potter is an attractive and accomplished girl, the daughter of Mr and Mrs I B Potter of Webster street. Her father is a well known real estate dealer of this city and has also large interests in Portland and Kansas City.

No date is announced for the wedding. Miss Potter will be the inspiration for much entertaining during the days preceding her wedding.

Church Services

Rev. F L Goodspeed D D will preach this morning and evening at the First Presbyterian Church Fourteenth and Franklin streets. At 11 a m the subject will be "Christianity as Fact, Force and Result." At 7 30 p m the subject will be "The Face of Jesus Christ." There will be good music and all are cordially invited to hear Dr Goodspeed.

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints (Mormons) Services will be held at Macabee Temple, Eleventh and Clay streets. Sunday school at 10 a m, services at 11 a m and 7.30 p m. All are welcome.

LONG LITIGATION SETTLED

LOS ANGELES Nov 28 — Litigation of several years standing and involving many residents of the San Bernardino valley has been settled by the recording in the federal court of the report of the referee sale at San Bernardino of property of the Bear Valley Irrigation company to the Citizens' Savings and Trust company of Cleveland, O, for the sum of $1 931 — $33. The trust company had brought suit to foreclose against about 100 persons.

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A free trial will convince you that Multo-Fruto is the most natural constipation cure known. Because it contains tropical fruit-juices and everybody knows that there is nothing so quick and thorough in curing chronic constipation and weak fagged nerves as a fruit treatment. You can eat and enjoy it like fruit or candy.

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ANDY IS HONORED BY TELEGRAPHERS

Carnegie Regards Their Reception Greatest Ever Accorded Him.

NEW YORK Nov 28 — The telegraphic flash sign "73" meaning regards was ticked scores of times last night over the special wires to the banquet room at the Hotel Manhattan where the old time telegraphers of New York entertained Andrew Carnegie on the occasion of his seventy-third birthday. At the table with him were Thomas A Edison the inventor and five of the nine first operators regularly employed by the United States government in the Civil War sent from the Pennsylvania railroad line in response to a message dated Washington April 22 1861 and signed by Carnegie Colonel Robert C Clowry president of the Western Union Telegraph company presided as toastmaster, and the speakers included David H Bates.

Carnegie said he spoke in no Pittsburg sense when he said he regarded the expressions of his old fellowship and good will tonight as the greatest public honor he had ever received.

Carnegie humorously referred to the time he had applied for membership in the Authors Club. Some of the authors said that no humorists could ever have written his book that it probably had been done by my secretary. At the next meeting a gentleman took in the manuscript which I had written in pencil then another man said they didn't want any millionaires in the club. You know how conceited those authors are. Another writer said I was probably all right as a rich man but that I was a fool as an author. I suppose it was upon that basis I was finally admitted.

PACIFIC FLEET MAIL HERE FROM MAGDALENA

SAN FRANCISCO Nov 28 — Nineteen bags of mail from the cruiser and torpedo destroyers of the Pacific fleet were brought to this city tonight by the tender Curacao which met the warships at Magdalena where target practice was in full swing. The Curacao had put in there for the customary lot of big turtles taking sixty one aboard. After leaving Magdalena the Curacao was in very heavy weather. She arrived here almost too late to pass quarantine and was met by the quarantine tug Argonaut off the Presidio where Dr Terry boarded the steamer.

The only cabin passengers in the Curacao were James Viosca United States consul at La Paz, the capital of the southern district of Lower California and R F Douglas a wealthy man of Mazatlan manager of the Western Mexico railroad connecting Altata and Culiacan and agent at Mazatlan for the Southern Pacific company. There were seventeen second cabin and steerage passengers. The cargo was light. Bullion worth $20 000 was brought from Pariras mines.

THREE ARE HELD ON A GRAND LARCENY CHARGE

SAN FRANCISCO Nov 28 — Louis Anjoux Mary Anjoux and Theodore Bigot arrested on a charge of grand larceny for stealing a $1 00 check from Helene Deyolay a boarder at the Anjoux place in San Bruno were today held to answer by Police Judge Weller before the Superior Court. The grand larceny was alleged to have been committed on May 3.

Ladies' $25 Tailor Made Suits for $16.50

These Pretty Suits $16.50

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Surely you will appreciate this opportunity to save; and, as for the merchandise, you will find in this collection of stylish suits just the one that looks best on you and becomes you the most.

We picture three of the styles just to show what pretty suits you can expect in coming to our store tomorrow.

Materials: Broadcloths, serges and fancy worsteds—excellent quality fabrics.

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All sizes, so as to assure every woman of a most satisfactory fit.

Suits are worth $25, sale price, commencing tomorrow, $16 50.

Silk Petticoats for $3.95

Another money saving opportunity. Good quality Silk Petticoats, made of high grade taffeta silk, deep flounce, cut extra wide, finished with silk dust ruffle. Colors, red, blue, white, champagne green and brown.

These petticoats are worth $5 as you can readily tell when you see them, sale price $3 95

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These waists are beauties—garments that could be sold for $7 50 and represent money's worth at that price.

Made of messaline with yoke finely tucked, new high collar of insertion and pleated lace, long sleeves with fancy accordion cuffs, dainty colors of gray, white and pink, sale price tomorrow $5.95

Girls' Reefers for $5.75

If you have daughters from 4 to 16 years of age do not miss this opportunity to secure a stylish reefer at a price below the actual value of the garment.

Coats are made of a fine quality woolen fabric, hand-tailored and lined throughout, colors black and white checked and solid red. All we ask for these pretty reefers is . . $5 75

Ladies' Dress Skirts for $5.50

We are closing out several lines of dress and walking skirts and have priced them so favorably that they are sure to move in a day. Be on hand early tomorrow.

Dress and Walking Skirts, made of plain and fancy mixture broadcloths, cheviots, voiles and panamas, colors, black, blue brown gray and striped effects, values up to $10 for $5 50

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From Now Until December 25th

We are celebrating the anniversary of our business. For twenty-eight days—from November 23 to December 25—we give to each purchaser of a lady's suit or coat or a man's suit or overcoat a

Box Containing New Crisp Bank Notes

There are various sums in the boxes. Some boxes have $1 00, some $2 00, $5 00, others $10 00, $15 00, $20 00 and $50 00.

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is at our store with candy **free** for little folks who ask for it.

Prettiest of Hats, $4.95

We place on sale tomorrow 50 hats for $4 95 each. The values range from $8 75 to $1

Principally large shapes but among them are smaller black shapes for middle aged women some trimmed with ostrich plumes and tips others with drapes of velvet or satin flowers, wings, fancy feathers and ornaments. Come get a becoming hat for $4 95

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AVIATORS TO SAIL OVER SEA IN CONTEST

Prince of Monaco Has Been Elected President of Aeroplane Meeting.

BY PAUL VILLIERS

PARIS Nov 28 — The most interesting sporting event of the winter in Europe will undoubtedly be the great international aeroplane contest which is to take place between the dates of January 21 and March 24 and in which the contestants will have to cross a stretch of open sea six times. The course fixed is from the Port of Monaco to Cap Martin and back and the prize to be competed for amount to $20 000. Each competitor will have to travel over the course three times. This means that the three journeys will each represent nearly six miles above the sea.

The Prince of Monaco who will in

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that his museum of oceanography on this time has accepted the position of president of the aeroplane meeting. The prince has placed at the disposal of the committee the spacious quay of the new port. Arrangements will be made so that if an aviator is unable to start his machine he can land without danger. If on the other hand he starts without falling he will be at full flight at least above the sea.

The terraces which bound the bay will provide ample accommodation for thousands of people who will watch the contest. It is stated that Delagrange will compete and it is hoped that several Americans will take part.

Patriotism Rampant

It is with a feeling of pride that the present French government points to the stirring unanimity with which the leaders of all parties backed it up during the recent crisis resulting from the Casablanca incident which showed the world that the patriotism in France in spite of party fights is as strong as ever. The present demeanor of the average Frenchman is clearly defined by M Gaston Calmette in the Figaro. He points out that the desire of humiliating France is the object of Prince Buelow and the Germans who talk of peace now would no longer be pacifists but fools.

If the quarrels of Prince Buelow or the Germans then will become the majority in the exasperated country. We must not deceive ourselves and be among us who would like to calm his patriotic anger would be swept away like a straw. Indignation creates heroes. Attention.

Fight Phone Company

Unless telephone subscribers have come to an agreement with the department of the interior the effect of the Cumberland fixing embitter the citizens. As a result of the disastrous fire two subscribers were deprived of communication and naturally they were not disposed to pay the full amount of the subscription. The government officials were approached to see whether any reduction would be made and the reply was to the effect that the postoffice department intended to insist on full payment.

When this reply was made known the subscribers went on strike. They refused to pay but they were not threatened with legal proceedings from the department. Sympathy for the matter they could find that the authorities were anxious to avoid trouble.

The Marquis de Monteballo as the champion of the telephone subscribers took legal advice in the matter and offered Mr Strahan head of the department half of his telephone subscription in full payment of the quarter due but his offer was refused. The subscribers now wondering what is going to happen. The telephone department is in a tight corner since legal opinion has it that the contentions of the subscribers that they should not pay for what they have not received is sound.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT MOVES HEADQUARTERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 28 — The headquarters and offices of the health department were moved today from the school lot on O'Farrell street near Scott to the three story brick building on the corner of Seventh and Mission streets which has been leased for this purpose. The supervisors secured the building for $200 a month which is regarded as an extremely moderate rate. Rent of all was paid however in the school quarters on O'Farrell street but the board of education has for some months been desirous of the use of the lot which is part of the Lafayette school grounds.

STOCKTON ELKS OPEN NEW HOME

Grand Ball Given in Quarters Which Are Fitted Up in Magnificent Manner

STOCKTON Nov 28 — The new $150 000 home of the Stockton lodge of Elks was officially opened with a grand ball last night attended by many women. Although the lodge rooms have been finished the dedication was not completed in consequence the dedication will take place until January. Elaborate preparations have been set aside $5 00 for entertaining the grand officers and will participate in the dedicatory exercises.

Finest West of Denver

It is stated that visiting Elks that the Stockton Elks club is the finest west of Denver. The club is taking on drapes are all imported and the leather furniture cost $32 000. The entire room is finished in mahogany with heavy leather benches carved oak for office and private telephone connections at stations.

The reception room billiard hall card rooms smoking room library each have their distinguishing features consisting of Indian tapestries Persian rugs and solid oak tables. The carpets and silk velour window drapes Lech room was furnished under a tendency of a special designer and the several color schemes blend and harmonize with the whole.

Monster Elk's Head

Special features of the lodge room are the cut glass doors on which are inscribed all the officers fitted in rare white crystals and a monster elk's head the gift of Dr J H Jones. The antlers run up to the ceiling six feet apart with each point tipped and fancy decorated.

The Elks memorial services to be held on the first Sunday in December will take place in the lodge room. Only Elks and members of the families of deceased Elks will be admitted to the services. John F McNab of Mendocino will deliver the oration.

THAW CLAIMS THAT HE IS A SANE MAN

WHITE PLAINS N Y Nov 28 — The fight which Harry K Thaw slayer of Stanford White is making to escape from the State asylum for insane criminals at Matteawan on the ground that he is now sane came to the attention of the court in Westchester county today. Lawyer Charles Manschauser representing Thaw filed his case on appeal.

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'SWIFTWATER' WEDS ONCE MORE

Bill Gates Takes Unto Himself a Fourth Wife and Keeps Up to His Name,

COURTSHIP WAS ONE OF HIS USUAL KIND

Girl Told Him That She Loved Another But He Wouldn't Have It That Way.

BERKELEY, Nov. 28.—William E. Gates, better known as "Swiftwater Bill," of Berkeley, the Klondike, and other places, whose matrimonial exploits and adventures have been the gossip of the Northwest for the past few years, has just taken unto himself a fourth wife, according to advices received yesterday by his mother, Mrs. J. E. Arloff, of 2 20 Grant street. The bride is Miss Sadelle Mercer, a handsome young woman of 18 years, the daughter of Mrs Violet M Erickson, manager of the Hotel Webster of Spokane, Washington.

The marriage took place last Saturday in the little mining town of Coeur d'Alene, in Northern Idaho Gates and his wife are now on the way to New Yorlt, where they will take a steamer for England and France, where they expect to remain for a year at least.

Snappy Courtship

It was a short and snappy courtship Gates has of late been making a fortune in Nevada, and two months ago went to Spokane to live for the winter. The bride had just arrived from Montreal, where she had been attending a convent, and the love of Gates was immediate and aggressive. When Miss Mercer told the Klondiker that she loved another, "Swiftwater" was not in the least disconcerted. He confided that his own heart had been bruised numerous times in the past, and finally won the young woman's consent to an immediate marriage. It was intended to keep the affair a secret, but an enthusiastic confidant of Mrs. Gates let the news out

Her Weight in Gold

Gates came into public notice about the time of the first discovery of gold in the Klondike. He was one of the first of the fortune hunters to dazzle San Francisco and Seattle with his nuggets. A few days after landing in San Francisco he offered Gussie Lamore, so it was reported, her weight in gold if she would marry him. Three months after the ceremony the young wife discarded her Croesus and Gates married her sister, Rosa, divorcing her six weeks later. Gates about this time was reported to be on the down grade financially. He took up his home in Berkeley with his mother and for a time played the races at Emeryville. Three years ago he left for Fairbanks, where he was reported to have made another fortune.

Eloped With Girl

Incidentally he managed to gain notoriety again by eloping with Bera Beebe, a sixteen-year-old girl, in Skagway, who commited suicide in Seattle last month, after separating from Gates and marrying Harry Cook, a gambler. "Swiftwater" paid the expenses and arranged all the details of the funeral.

Gates some days ago wrote his mother that he would spend the holiday season with her in Berkeley. At that time it is not believed he contemplated matrimony.

DR. MINER IS SCORED

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when he took the witness stand he confessed to Attorney Elliot that he kissed many girls who came to his house.

Attorney Elliot declared in his argument that today was the hour of vindication for which Mrs. Miner had been waiting He said his client could get no protection from the man who should be her protector, because he had stabbed her in a more serious manner than any deadly assassin

Step by step, Attorney Elliot attacked the testimony and charges of Dr. Miner as rank perjury No mild words were used in expressing his opinion of Dr. Miner. He vowed that in cases where one man says defaming things about another he is sued for slander, or, if he publishes it, it is then criminal libel. The court was appealed to in this case, asking what vindication a wife has against a man who blemished her character before the world

Branded As Unfit

In bringing his argument, which lasted for an hour and twenty minutes, to a close, Attorney Elliot asked for simply the custody of the children for Mrs. Miner. He asked for no division of property interests Dr. Miner was branded as an unfit father for the boy and the foulest man on earth, according to Elliot, who pictured a working man without the education or social attainments of Miner This working man, said Elliot, would possibly slap his wife's face, but let anybody say a word against her character or chastity, and the same man would peel off his coat and make short business of his wife's defamer Elliot said that it was so different in this case, because Dr Miner was the first one to attack the character of his wife.

Weep in Court

Women sitting in the courtroom were in tears during a greater part of Attorney Elliot's argument, and several men rubbed their sleeve across their eyes The most pathetic scene in the courtroom was when Judge Smith himself boyed his head and permitted tears to roll down his cheeks.

Adjourn for Five Days

Attorney Gardner, for the plaintiff, reviewed the evidence and while admitting that they lacked corroboration in many of the details, said they were not compelled to substantiate every action or move of the defendant, but as had been intimated the court should read between the lines. The court gave each side five days in which to file additional papers and letters in the case.

Attorney Elliott announced last night, upon his return home to Oakland, that Mrs Miner was very grateful to the newspapers during her recent unpleasant notoriety. She told her counsel that Dr. Miner was the first to air his trouble in the press but that she considered herself as coming out of the case with the more favorable comment on the part of the papers. Elliott also said he was pleased with the fair and unexaggerated reports of the trial given in the newspapers

NEARLY 1,000,000 DIVORCES GRANTED IN TWENTY YEARS

Census Bureau Report Is Very Startling

MANY MARRIAGES HAVE PROVED UNHAPPY

Divorce Rate Has Greatly Increased With Wives in Majority As Plaintiffs.

WASHINGTON, Nov 28.—The Bureau of the Census has just completed a compilation of the statistics of marriage and divorce covering a period of twenty years from 1887 to 1906 inclusive

The total number of marriages recorded during the twenty years from 1887 to 1906 inclusive, was 12,534,064. The number annually increased from 483,089 in the year 1887 to 879,206 in the year 1906. The increase year by year was by no means uniform The marriage rate is quickly responsive to changes in economic conditions

The total number of divorces reported for the twenty years, 1887 to 1906, inclusive, was 945,625. For the earlier investigation, covering the twenty years, 1867 to 1886, inclusive, the number reported was 328,716, or hardly more than one-third of the number recorded in the second twenty years At the beginning of the forty-year period, covered by the two investigations, divorces occurred at the rate of 10,000 a year; at the end of that period the annual number was 66,000

Divorce Rate Increased

An increase of 30 per cent in population between the years 1870 to 1880 was accompanied by an increase of 79 per cent in the number of divorces granted. In the next decade, 1880 to 1890 the population increased 25 per cent and divorces 70 per cent and in the following decade, 1890 to 1900, an increase of 21 per cent in population was accompanied by an increase of 66 per cent in the number of divorces In the six years from 1900 to 1906, population, as estimated, increased 10.7 per cent and divorces 29.3 per cent

It thus appears that at the end of the forty-year period divorces were increasing about three times as fast as population, while in the first decade (1870 to 1880) they increased only about two and two-thirds as fast.

The available data indicate, however, that not less than 1 marriage in 13 is ultimately terminated by divorce

Divorce rates appear to be higher in the United States than in any of the foreign countries for which statistics relating to this subject have been obtained

Two-thirds of the total number of divorces granted in the twenty-year period covered by this investigation were granted to the wife

Without any reference to the question of which party is the more frequently responsible for the marital unhappiness that leads to divorce, it may be said that the wife has legal grounds for divorce more frequently than the husband, that is to say, there are certain well-recognized and comparatively common grounds that are more readily applicable as against the husband than as against the wife.

Causes of Divorce

The most common single ground for divorce is desertion. This accounts for 38.9 per cent of all divorces (period 1887 to 1906); 49.4 per cent, or almost one-half of those granted to the husband, and 33.5 per cent, or one-third, of those granted to the wife.

The next most important ground of divorce is, for husbands, adultery, and for wives, cruelty. Of the divorces granted to husbands (1887 to 1906) 28.8 per cent were for adultery; and of those granted to wives 27.5 per cent were for cruelty Only 10 per cent of the divorces granted to wives were for adultery of the husband, and 10.5 per cent of divorces granted to husbands were for cruelty on the part of the wife.

Many in First Year

The number of divorces occurring in the first year of married life during the entire period, 1887 to 1906, was 18,876; the number increases to 27,761 in the second year of married life and reaches its maximum in the fifth year, when it becomes 68,770. From that point on the number diminishes year by year, but does not fall below the number granted in the first year of married life until the eighteenth year is reached.

The rapidity with which matters come to a crisis in the married careers of divorced couples is more clearly indicated by the number of years which elapse between marriages and separation. Usually separation precedes divorce by a considerable length of time, and a certain period must necessarily elapse before a divorce can be obtained after the occasion for it arises. The number of years from marriage to separation was ascertained in case of 776,929 divorced couples Of these 98,166, or 12.8 per cent, separated in the first year of married life and 109,689 or 14.2 per cent, in the second year; in the third year the number falls off to 76,102, at the end of the fifth year one-half of the total number of separations have taken place. But it is a somewhat surprising fact that 24,143 married couples, or 3.1 per cent of the total number, separated and became divorced after the completion of twenty-five years of married life.

It is a waste of time to worry about the future Things will be all right a hundred years from now—as far as you are concerned.

Of course a bachelor has no one to sew buttons on for him—but many a married man has nothing to sew buttons on.

It sometimes happens that two women are apparently good friends because they are bitter enemies

California's Showing

According to the Census Bureau's statistics on marriages and divorces California ranks fourteenth as to the number of divorces granted from 1887 to 1906. The figures show that during that period 25,170 divorces were granted in the State. The divorce rate is only ninth, however, for that period.

CARDINAL GIBBONS ON DIVORCE

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are nothing less than appalling. The extent of the divorce evil is so great as to strike at the very roots of our social system. I myself am writing and speaking constantly on this subject, and I am in sympathy with any effort to check the growth of divorce in this country

"The government figures show that divorces are multiplying about three times as fast as the population. They disclose that one marriage in twelve ends in divorce The figures are the more striking when considered by the side of the figures of Canada, for instance, where the number of divorces is relatively small.

"Divorce is becoming so prevalent that marriage is getting to be little better than a system of free-love.

Consider Only Pleasure

"People are too much bent on pleasure. Men and women enter the marriage state without regard to the sacred nature of the bond they are undertaking They look too much upon life with regard only to what pleasure they can get out of it, and with too little regard for that solemn word 'duty.' Where does the fault lie? Is it in our system of education?

"No, it is the result of a false, loose interpretation of the gospel Every one of the gospels is opposed to divorce. If divorce is to be checked there must be a stricter regard for the truths of the Christian religion as the are taught by the Catholic Church. I we profess to be Christians, let us be Christians.

"Another reason why divorces is on the increase is found in the attitude of society toward persons who are divorced In former times a woman who was divorced was shunned. She was not received or recognized in good society and was frowned upon Now this is not the case. If divorce is to be checked let the divorced person be shunned"

"To what extent is the law responsible?"

"Of course, the laws on the subject of divorce are responsible to some extent. They should be made more severe As is well-known, they differ in different States and are in many cases lax. A man forms an attachment for a woman or a woman forms an attachment for a man, and regardless of any existing marriage bonds, they determine to marry.

Laws Accomodating

"Under the laws they find this easily possible. I notice what the census statistics showed as to the decrease of marriage rate in times of depression. It is natural that this should be the case, and that people should the more readily contract marriage when times are prosperous.

"Without going into the question of the relation of economic conditions to divorce, I may say that I hope that we are on the verge of greater prosperity and better times."

Cardinal Gibbons emphasized the grave dangers to this country's civilization if the divorce evil is to go on unchecked and the rate of increase that is shown to have taken place the last forty years is permitted to continue He is fully convinced that no subject can better occupy the attention of the thinking minds of the nat on

Bryan Has Very Narrow Escape

GALVESTON, Texas, Nov 28.—William Jennings Bryan, who is after big game in the mountain of Chihuahua, Mexico, had an encounter with a big bear in which he came near losing his life.

After the other members of the party had chased and fired upon the bear the animal tumbled over and lay motionless for several minutes. Thinking the beast was dead, Mr. Bryan ran up to the bear, which suddenly swung out its paws and grabbed Mr. Bryan about the waist. Quickly jerking free of his coat, which the bear tore to pieces, Mr. Bryan dealt the brute a blow with the butt end of his gun.

By this time other members of the party rushed to the scene and shot the bear. Mr. Bryan was not excited, and would not admit that he had a close call, saying the bear was mortally wounded and could not possibly have squeezed him to death

Three bears have been killed by the party, and they give credit to Mr Bryan for having dispatched all of them, as well as five deer, a mountain lion and other game.

Maintained Secrecy

J. A. Johnson, an American, is at the head of the party, which also includes General Barnhidle, Governor of Coahuila, who stands sponsor for the bear attack upon Mr. Bryan, and who pledged all the members of the party to say nothing of the occurrence

OPERA WILL BE SUNG BY AMATEURS FOR CHARITY

Large Orchestra and Chorus Will Be Feature of the Entertainment.

Already over eighty persons have volunteered to participate in the "Bohemian Girl," to be given under the direction of Anson Hilton for the benefit of local charities. For several months past rehearsals have been held twice a week at the Hilton home in Fruitvale.

One of the features of the production will be the orchestra, composed of many of the best local musicians Already twenty-five have been secured. Among them are: First violins, Harold Hilton, L. G. Fowler Mrs Ogden W. Hillard, C. F. Hamlin, W. H. Campbell, Mrs. Paul E. Loget, Kittie Webster; violas, Eugene Colby, cornet, H. Maynus, F. Wallbrun; clarionet, H. Frederick, cello, Otto Lehmiat, tromtone, Wilson Person.

Chorus Is Strong

A large chorus has been formed, but the "try-outs" for the principal parts have not yet been held. Several well-known singers have been mentioned for the leading role, but Mr Hilton will not assign the parts until the plans have been more systematically arranged.

The performance will be given near the first of the year in either Ye Liberty or the Macdonough Theater. It will be rehearsed and staged elaborately.

Other Operas Given

Two years ago "Pinafore" and later "The Pirates of Penzance" were produced under the same management. Both these operas proved most successful, the charities for which they were given reaping a snug sum.

Among those who will sing are: R. V. Passmore, Margaret M. Williams, W. H. Anderson, Clinton, Catherine Bledge, V. A. Anderson, Mrs. E. E. Strowbridge, B. H. Underwood, Mrs. Harry Brown, J. P. Jones, Mrs. Bert Fletcher, Bert P. Fletcher, Mrs. Bert Fletcher, P. H. McDonald, Chas. Brown, Clarence Johnson, Mr. H. P. Taylor, F. H. Wilts, Letitia Rain, H. J. Calkins, Mrs. Lehman, Clark, Chas. Anderson, Miss L. L. Johnston, W. L. Jones, Mrs. Henry Westcoe, Arthur Beatty, Blanche Lyons, Wm. McIlwain, Ethel Holcomb, Lessie Coleman, Gertrude Hall, Mary O'Connell, Maude C. Isley, Martha Elton, Hazel Sulk, Agnes Little, Josephine Whelan, Nellie Petty, Rosie N. Gonzalez, Mabel Phillips, Miss Von Kick, Carolyn Harpending, Gilbert Johnson, Nadine Hilton, George Lyons, Mrs. A. Hilton, B. McManus, Laura Lloyd, Thomas McIlwain, Mrs. M. S. Hansen, M. Hardwick, Ruth Van Havenberg, M. H. Madden, Mrs. C. H. Irene-Smith, A. Von Hoffberg, J. E. Lloyd, Sophie Todd, Walter Bledsoe, Irene Lloyd, P. J. Smith, Ilma Jones, Howard Von Berg, Elsie Doane, R. W. Guthrie, Sadie Lombard, Alix Curtin, Leona Lombard, Walter Bledsoe, Lorenzo Knapp, L. H. Jacobs, Ethel M. Ellis, Walter Kenyon, Dan Ross, Thomas Lyons, Rudolph Magnusson, A. H. Greene, Minnie Drucker.

MOCKERS ARE EJECTED FROM A LOCAL CAFE

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would do as they liked. Then, accordingly, but each time they replied that they would go to those at the banquet, Colonel Kinney one of the guests, went to the men and remonstrated with them.

Still the foreigners persisted in their annoying actions By this time the banqueters were highly indignant and a number of them went to the small private party and demanded that they leave the room This move served to alarm mtho disturbers and they left the hotel.

Capwell Indignant

Among those at the banquet was H. C. Capwell, the well known merchant Mr. Capwell was also one of the principal speakers. In discussing the incident last night he expressed the opinion that the French Consul General could not have been one of the party because he is an honorary member of the Society of the Sons of the American Revolution. He gave vent, however, to his indignation.

"I think it an outrage," said Mr. Capwell to a TRIBUNE representative "The disturbance was entirely unwarranted, and we did the only thing possible under the circumstances. After Colonel Kinney talked with them, requesting them in a quiet manner to desist from their noisy actions their insolence only grew worse, and that they were not put out by force was no fault of theirs

"After their departure I asked the steward who they were and was told they were the secretaries of the French and German legations, now staying at the Fairmont in San Francisco.

Censures the Hotel

"It seems a shame that no one in authority at the hotel was present or that those who were there hadn't enough backbone to act. Of course, it was a public dining room, but that should be no reason why banquets should be interrupted as was done.

The French charge d'affaires in San Francisco is an honorary member of the society and will be apprised of the incident."

"However, the annoyance aside, their enforced departure was a fitting anti-climax to our celebration of Evacuation Day."

When a woman thinks she has a good figure she looks disappointed if other women don't look as if they thought so, too.

No woman who cares for appearance can afford to weep unless she has a dainty handkerchief to use as a tear mop.

In times of peace a lot of otherwise sensible people make preparations to get married.

Frozen To Death In Southern California

VENTURA, Nov. 28.—Frozen to death in Southern California seems an impossibility, but this is what happened near Santa Paula on Thanksgiving night to three sons of well-known people of that city. The boys were Clifford and Cuba Tharp, aged 17 and 9 years, and sons of R. S. Tharp The other little chap was John Blats, aged 13, son of Jacob Blats.

On Thanksgiving morning the mountains all about Santa Paula were heavily covered with snow from the severe storm of the previous night. The three boys decided to visit the snow belt on the San Cayetano range, about five miles north of Santa Paula. They went without coats and took nothing to eat, as they said they would be back for a Thanksgiving dinner

They did not return at dinner time, however, and searching parties found their bodies huddled together at the mouth of Timber canyon at 3 o'clock the afternoon. It was evident that overtaken by nightfall and exhausted, the boys had lain down to sleep in the snow and were soon lulled into the last long sleep

LAYS BARE LOVES OF BENNETT

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long time, for this man. What happened was that he met an actress, who is celebrated today, though no longer young, at the house of Camille.

"Then," exclaimed M. Desjardins, "this man committed the most infamous act. He requested the mother of his child to further his intrigue with the actress."

M. Desjardins here read a telegram sent by Mr. Bennett to Camille from Palermo:

"Thanks for telegram, dear friend. I hope to arrive in Paris in July. Give my love to Madame (that is the actress) and ask her if she won't give up her Prince for me. That is all the same to you, isn't it, and I'll be a regular Pacha. Send me address of Madame."

Refused to Help

"Camille refused to enter into sinful combination," M. Desjardins continued, "and gained the hatred of Mr. Bennett, and in spite of his promise of ample provisions, five hundred dollars yearly is all the mother and child ever got from him."

Maitre Desjardins spoke three hours and, in conclusion said:

"Notwithstanding poverty, the child was admirably brought up and, when she reached the years of discretion, she chose a life of labor and probity on a farm in Canada rather than live in Paris, which witnessed her father's gaieties and notoriety. And what is Mr Bennett's answer? He declares that he has already made sacrifices for his daughter under menaces from the mother. But Camille's letters were only those of an angry, indignant woman seeing her child in need, while her father's riot is the talk of Paris.

Promised $50.000

"Of his own free will Mr. Bennett promised to pay $50,000 when Juliette was 16, but long before that he wearied of his victim, carried his shifty love to an actress of moment, then fluttered to other loves, deeded his own written agreement and refused to admit that the girl he had robbed was his own child until the courts pronounced the authenticity of his letters.

"But he cannot thus get rid of the responsibility incumbent on him. His denial was false. Unmasked, this millionaire haggles over the pennies needed for his child's food—yes, he came into court with a lie on his lips, denying his own signature in order to save his dirty money. He only paid the small sum he did when he obtained from his daughter an agreement not to appeal again for money. Now she sues for a name and legal recognition."

After recess Maitre Barboux said he would not answer today, for Mr. Bennett's side of the story of long ago will be heard Saturday a week.

ARRESTED FOR TICKLING HIS WIFE IN THE RIBS

ATHOL, Mass., Nov. 28. — Because he tickled his wife in the ribs, E. A. Garry was arrested on complaint of his wife, charged with assault and battery. After hearing the case the court gave the couple a bit of good advice and the defendant was allowed to go home on his promise to refrain from attempting in the future to force his spouse to unusual mirth.

CURES THAT WILL LIVE IN HISTORY

Monster Parasites Removed, Deafness Cured, the Lame and Crippled Run and Jump, Cancers and Gallstones Disappear.—People Stand Astounded When Fer-Don's European Experts and Bloodless Surgeons Perform These Cures That Border on the Miraculous.

It seems most startling, in many respects, when one considers how good Fer-Don remedies treatments of the European Medical experts have performed here in Stockton. Startling are many cures made by these remedies. It is being to all wonders to investigate the cures of those who had given up all hope of regaining health, three of our physicians have been cured by the Experts. The cures and cured makes The long list of evidence to the fact are really doing work in curing chronic diseases, deafness and in removing growths and other diseases without the use of a knife, bloodless methods

CURING THE HOPELESSLY

each week, amidst the friendly praise of people of the community, people known by the thoughts of their neighbors and friends, people but an honest doubt does this medicine ask themselves. And the answer is conscientious conviction. Nothing conscientious work results and make record as the people talk with them; they do have a right to say, but are right they can be so Oakland, where their truthful statements verified

REMOVES CANCER.

Mr. A. A. McKeen of 1041 Street, the cancer which was suffered a terrible cancer on his nose for years, the cancer has disappeared, his own story

"For some time I have been with this cancer on my nose and have tried everything to be removed without the knife. I had consulted Fer-Don's European experts. I went and saw for myself. I am willing to appear before anyone and make an affidavit that I have the cancer from the blood disease and that I had consulted Fer-Don's European experts. A few minutes for Fer-Don's European doctors to remove it. It was used. I am perfectly satisfied a resident of Oakland and have lived for years."

ECZEMA CURED.

Mary Lorch living at 1262 15th West Oakland suffering for dread and regular skin disease, one Fer-Don's European Medicine. When she first came to this place was a mass of repulsive a sickening sight. After only one month's treatment improvement was noticeable and now the ugly things have left her face and it is as fresh and pure as a new born babe's.

CRIPPLED RUN AND JUMP.

Florence Harvey of No. 980 Wood street, West Oakland, was treated by these wonderful men and received instant relief. Crippled and pain tormented by a part-lily withered limb since two years of age and wearing a brace constantly all that time, this little sufferer was brought to the Great Fer-Don by a mother who had exhausted heretofore every known means of curing her daughter "If you can help her, and I believe you can, after seeing and hearing of your wonderful success here and in other parts of the country, my heart will be grateful to you," said the mother to the Great Fer-Don After a few minutes' treatment by Fer-Don's European Medical Experts and Bloodless Surgeons, the child could run and jump and every person in the great crowd that witnessed the marvelous demonstration was dumfounded.

CARRIED IN CHAIR.

Greenfield Risk, who resides at 128 Glad tone avenue, Napa, Cal., was on a visit to her children living in this city. Dropsical accumulation choked her to such an extent that she could not walk, and had to be moved from place to place in a chair. She had heard of the Great Fer-Don and was brought to his offices at 1169 Broadway in a wheel chair.

WALKS ONCE MORE.

The Bloodless Surgeons examined her carefully, and began treatments. After only one call she experienced immense relief and now is fully restored to health the medium gone and she is able to walk about as well as any one.

BLOODLESS SURGERY

was performed on Mr. S. C. King, the manager of the Raymond Jewelry Co., at 1169 Broadway, this city, who has been ill with stomach and liver trouble caused from gall stones which kept him in ill health for one and a half years. He decided to see the European Experts at their offices, 1169 Broadway, and was examined, and after taking three doses of medicine he was relieved of over 200 gall stones.

BLINDNESS CURED.

Another miraculous case is that of Mrs. E. Fintel's little daughter who was cured of blindness. In talking about the case her mother said: "My little girl has been blind for some time, unable to see a thing. Doctors examined her, and wanted to operate. I would not consent to it. I brought her to the European experts and they treated her. Found the seat of the trouble, a clot on the optic nerve. She can now see as well as you or I." Mrs. Fintel lives on Sunnyside street in Elmhurst and is happy woman now.

ALAMEDA COUNTY ELKS HONOR GRAND EXALTED RULER HOLLAND

RUSH L. HOLLAND.

himself to hundreds of thousands of brothers throughout the country

Expression of Esteem

Positive expression of the esteem in which Grand Exalted Ruler Holland is held in Elkdom was given in a banquet held in his honor last night at the Key Route Inn at which there were representatives of the lodges of the order in this city Berkeley and Alameda The demonstration was but one of the many ovation which have attended Brother Holland's official tour of the country since he left his home in Colorado Springs several weeks ago

Around the board sat men who are not alone distinguished in the world of Elks, but also in the various walks of life in their respective communities

Fraternal Spirit

There is nothing prosaic in a gathering of Elks and it is needless to say that in doing honor to the ruler of the order the great last night allowed no opportunity to pass unimproved to show that on the extreme western edge of the continent the true fraternal spirit of this old exalted and appreciation of the chief was no less strong than it is in the center where Mr Holland is among the most listing and citizens of this State

Toastmaster Benjamin

As a consequence from the time Raymond Benjamin called the meeting to order until the last of the festivity there was not a moment of dullness Jest followed jest song followed song and sentiment vied with humor ruled and when the exercises came to a close it was with the feeling that a more enjoyable evening could not be drawn from among the choicest memories of the Elks and the which live in memory

Three Grand Officers

Grand Exalted Ruler Holland was accompanied by Alfred Holly Grand Trustee of California E. M. Fitz and Fred C. Robinson Grand Secretary of Des Moines and to these the hand and the hand of fellowship went out with all the sincerity of the devoted Elk

Patriotic Draping.

The festivity was held in the banquet room of the hotel The guests table was on the south end of the apartment and at right angles to the extended tables other tables which were furnished with smilax and flowers The walls were hung with national colors a cluster of which beautifully decorated being placed immediately behind the seat occupied by the distinguished guest of the evening

The toastmaster was Raymond Benjamin and the duties of the position were discharged in a high jovial and dignified manner worthy of the man the guests and the occasion

Eleven O'Clock Toast

At 11 o'clock Mr Benjamin announced the toast peculiar to Elkdom at that hour viz "To Our Absent Brothers" and W. R. Davis spoke for a few moments in a very fetching manner on the subject

Then followed an address of welcome to the visiting guests by F. M. Koford of Berkeley Lodge of Elks No 1002 Mr Koford spoke in a hearty and eloquent manner and his sentiments evoked applause

This was responded to in a very happy manner by Grand Trustee A. T. Holly the sentiment Alameda Lodge No 1017 was responded to by F. T. Moore Exalted Ruler of the organization

Rush L. Holland

Then the toastmaster proposed the sentiment The Grand Lodge to which Rush L. Holland the ruler of the order responded in a quiet elegant and dignified manner the method of delivery and the sentiments expressed displaying the qualities which had enabled the gentleman to gain ascendancy over his brother members

Oakland Lodge No 171 was the toast assigned Charles W. Wilkins exalted ruler of the organization and the tribute which he paid to his brother was tender and appreciative

In responding to the toast of "The California Elk" J. M. Shanley of Alameda who holds the position of district deputy grand exalted ruler for Northern California displayed the energy enthusiasm and devotion which have long characterized him as a member of the order How to Grow was pleasantly discussed by Fred C. Robinson the grand secretary of the order

The Scrap Heap was entertainingly and humorously sensibly and eloquently answered by Justice Henry A. Melvin and his effort was applauded with appreciation and frequency

The Guests

The guests were as follows

Fred C. Robinson Grand Secretary
James M. Shanley District Deputy of Northern California
Raymond Benjamin Grand Esquire
R. L. Holland Grand Exalted Ruler
Alfred T. Holly Grand Trustee
C. W. Wilkins Exalted Ruler No 171
James M. Koford P. E. R. No 1002
Henry A. Melvin Past Grand Exalted Ruler
Henry A. Sulis Sec Berkeley No 1002
G. W. Skilling Berkeley No 1002
C. A. Meel P. E. R. Berkeley 1002
W. J. Worley Berkeley 1002
J. R. Lopez Berkeley 1002
Edward W. Richardson Berkeley 1002
Hon T. R. Bowland

Fred Coleman	Robert Howden
Chas. H. Hastie	John Leslie
Wm. Richmond	H. L. Cunningham
A. J. St. Sure	H. F. Martinez
Chas. F. Lee	M. H. Shirey
P. C. Frederickson	Tony Carpenter
A. Tershbun	I. Kossich
Robt. L. Starr	Geo. W. Frick
H. F. Reed	Jas. H. Benjamin
F. G. Ogden	Harrison Clax
C. A. Warnock	H. C. Capwell
M. J. Keller	Hugh W. Hogan
Dr. A. C. M. Daniel	Fred W. Foss
H. Wright	N. Walter
J. N. Pelham	C. H. Smith
Wm. R. Paul	A. Latham
Chas. M. Reed	Time L. Case
F. W. Hart	H. S. Williams
John Mitchell	H. V. Parratt
J. J. Hanifin Jr	H. C. Bickford
G. A. Warnock	T. D. Calder
W. H. Wellard	R. Horst
J. Rollin Fitch	W. K. Bassett
R. J. McGill Sr	Dr. C. R. Weaver
A. Van der Naflen Jr	T. G. Whittington
	Geo. W. Reed
F. B. John	A. J. M. Donough
W. H. Hynes	W. J. Walker
F. F. Chudley	F. M. Crawford
H. E. Perkins	H. S. Anderson
Wm. B. Knowles	Andy J. Johnstone
Wm. Baehr	Frank L. Thompson
A. C. Hodges	R. J. Montgomery
Chas. Husband	Theo. Gier
C. J. Neal	J. Sulberger
M. A. DeLew	Frank J. Wilson
Frank Leuholdt	Paul F. Carroll
John Whitler	Fred B. Taylor
Fred J. Moore	C. E. Cotton

The menu was as follows

Mount Cocktail
Blue Point Oysters on half shell
Clear Green Turtle Amontillado
Salted Almonds Olives
Celery en Branche
Filed Fillet of English Sole Sauce Tartar
Giersberger Sauterne Julian Potatoes
Sweetbreads Patties a la Elk
Roast Philadelphia Squab Stuffed au Aresson
Green Peas Potato Chateau
Cierasberger Zinfandel Cold Asparagus Mayonnaise
Violet Ice Cream Cake P. O. E.
Fancy Assorted Cake
Camembert Cheese Toasted Crackers
Cigars

The committee in charge of the tribute was as follows J. D. Calder, Alameda Lodge James M. Koford, Berkeley Lodge George W. Reed H. C. Capwell, Dr. Charles L. Tisdale, Oakland Lodge.

VISITOR GREETED AT BANQUET IN KEY ROUTE INN

Eloquent Speeches By Members of Local Lodges; Also By Distinguished Guests.

Last night Elkdom of three cities Alameda, Berkeley and Oakland, in person and spirit took to its heart Rush L. Holland who occupies the honorable position of grand exalted ruler of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, which extends all over the country

There was a warmth in the welcome which was peculiar to Elks It was inspired not alone because the guest was a member of the order in question but because of the sterling character of the official as a member of an honorable profession a financier and a man

His reputation had preceded him and, while in a fraternal sense he was no stranger to any member of the order, and there was no lack of knowledge as to his administrative character actual acquaintance with the gentleman showed that the stories of his geniality and humanity which had preceded him had failed adequately to describe the man who had endeared

SINCERITY TALKS

Nathan & Fischer

NECESSARY LUXURIES.

SOME men buy an evening suit (full dress) at least once a year.

Some men buy two of them a year.

Some men follow the same course as to dinner suits. (Tuxedos)

Some men don't buy them at all, because they *think* they seldom have occasion for wearing such garb.

Which reminds one of what the Texan said about not needing his gun very often but when he *did* need it he needed it mighty bad and mighty quick.

We believe that about the principal reason so many men *think* they do not often need a dress suit is the carefully developed and maintained idea that such garments must be considering their limited sphere of activity, more *expensive* than anything else a man buys to wear.

There is no more reason why your full dress clothes must be made at a *luxurious* price by a merchant tailor than that your business suit or your frock suit or your overcoat should be so made

It is perfectly logical, is it not? that when we pay our head designer and our cutters salaries akin to those enjoyed by rulers of states, that these men should possess the scientific craftsmanship to produce full dress apparel second to none.

"Sincerity" full dress garb is characterized by a dignity and refinement that adds to the distinction of the wearer Such clothes *necessarily* call for fineness of fabric, superbness of lining and a splendid workmanship—and we have the *organization* to give all that and *more*.

The winter season, with its dinners and dances and theatrical attractions, makes full dress demands upon the *college chap* and his father It's money in your *pocket* to equip yourself with "Sincerity" opera coats, tuxedos and full dress suits. You will want one or the other, or all, as quickly and as badly as the Texan wanted his gun—and your dealer can supply you right *now*, before 6 o'clock—the hour to get into them.

Our Style Book illustrates in half-tones the *real* garments mentioned above All our other styles, too A postal to us, and we mail it at once.

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1157-1159 Washington St.

Ladies' Aid Society Arranging For a Large Christmas Bazaar

BELLE COOPER PHOTOS.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Centennial M. E. Church has completed plans for the annual Christmas bazaar to be given Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday in the church parlors Ninth and Chester streets The affair is scheduled to surpass all others given by the society which is the charitable organization of the church It cares for the sick and needy members and has many enthusiastic workers who have the interests of the church at heart

Yearly the Ladies Aid Society gives a benefit for the church which is well attended by the parishioners who are showing much interest in the coming events

Mrs J. G. Doty, president of the Ladies Aid Society has charge of the affair. She is assisted by Mrs Emma Willard vice president Mrs A. D. Wilson secretary Mrs W. McMurtry treasurer Those in charge of the booths are as follows

Art booth—Mrs George M. Richmond chairman

Ice cream—Mrs Alice Arterbern Mrs Belle Hunter, Mrs Anna C. Adam Mrs Eddy

Cake and sandwich booth—Mrs Belle Hunter chairman Mrs Florence Sunky Mrs William Dunsmore Mrs J. Angwin

Fancy articles booth—Mrs M. MacMurtry Mrs Anna Adams, Mrs B. Martha Peterson Mrs Ira Vaughn Mrs M. B. Smith

Candy booth—Mrs Hattie Lewis, chairman Mrs Louis Muck Mrs Jessie Cop

Japanese booth—Mrs Russell

Mrs Florence Sunky has charge of the special musical program which will be rendered during the bazaar

142 BODIES FOUND AMONG DEBRIS IN MINE

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of coal that blocked the upper reaches of the heat, while other parties headed by President John K. Jones of the Pittsburg Buffalo Coal Company have rushed to the scene in special trains from Pittsburg and Monongahela with the latest appliances which are being directed at the head of the shaft to bore to the entombed men

Women Weep at Pit

Five thousand women and children and miners throng the mouth of the mine the former weeping piteously and pleading for the rescue of their fathers or brothers

The officials of the mine are in a pitiful condition They have spent hundreds of thousands of dollars to make the Marianna fireproof and experts assured them that such disaster as occurred today was impossible

In the excitement and panic it is impossible thus far to learn the exact number of victims or their names But the books of the company indicate that the majority of the men buried in the Rachel are Americans and most of the others are Italian miners imported by the company two months ago to work the rich veins

The whole shaft was completely wrecked and with it all the ventilating apparatus After the explosion the air supply of the entombed men was shut off Even if they escaped instant death they can hardly have escaped suffocation

Fought Way to Pit

The first band of rescuers to reach the scene were other miners and the resident officers of the company They numbered sixty and they were forced to fight their way to the mouth of the shaft through the crowds of weeping screaming women and children

It was thought some of the men might be alive and the rescuers made attempts to reach them by the telephone system which stretched from the office on the surface to the bottom of the Rachel The telephone had been destroyed along with the air shaft and when a moment later some of the diggers came up three foreigners badly mangled within a hundred feet of the surface there remained little hope that any of the others might be living

President Collapses

Meanwhile the news of the disaster had been telegraphed to Pittsburg and to all the neighboring towns in the district When President Jones was told he collapsed from grief and chagrin over the accounting to stockholders He had said that the mine could not be wrecked by any means short of a cataclysm The other officers of the company were equally astonished As soon as the president recovered his presence of mind he hired special trains and filling the cars with wreckers doctors and nurses started for the scene at the same time ordering other relief parties from Monongahela and surrounding towns

Not until these parties arrived did it was seen that the work of rescue was well nigh hopeless

Experts estimated at once that near 800 feet of coal boulders lay between the surface and the men beneath It would take days to bore through this Then it would be necessary to effect entrance to the mine through one of the other two shafts

But here again fate ruled the rescuers were balked for the other shafts vanished do not yet count in the club into hoisting machinery that had been in full in the Rachel

The city hitherto of men entered the Rachel shaft and was lowered to their work nearly 500 feet beneath the surface at o'clock this morning The mine automatically lighted with incandescent electric lamps needed no safety lamps for its working and the plant network of steel beams propping every possible point of collapse gave the men a feeling of the most perfect security

More yet to make it a double certainty State Mine Inspector Louttit accompanied by Mine Foreman Kennedy had just finished a thorough inspection of the mine and in passing out had told the men from that every appliance was in perfect order and that the Rachel shaft was as secure from accident as the model homes in which the miners live about the great mouth of the mine

Crash Shakes Earth

Then as the miners sat down to eat their noonday luncheon at the bottom of the shaft the inspector and foreman entered the hoisting cage and were taken to the surface The two men had walked some 300 feet toward the company's offices, the elevator operators were still in the cage at the entrance, when a tremendous detonation burst up from the bowels of the shaft. The ground rocked for two miles around the great cage torn from its chains was hurled into the air and with its two dead men within crushed among the houses 500 feet away, while billows of smoke shot out of the mouth of the mine, shutting the scene of disaster from sight.

There was a second explosion, and the panic-stricken women and children rushing from their shaken homes heard another great rumble in the depths below This was the falling of tons upon tons of coal, which loosened from their broken props by the force of the explosion at the bottom of the shaft fell with a great crash down upon the other breast below and then tumbled to the lower depths.

There is only one conjecture to account for the explosion In close proximity to the Rachel shaft there is a big gas well and on throwing the shaft spit all the precaution of the mine builders some of this gas found its way into the mine and ignited Others believe that powder or dynamite used in blasting exploded prematurely

There is apparently no hope of reaching the entombed men in the mine for hours to come Superintendent A. C. Benson Fire Boss William Kennedy and Mine Boss Joseph Kennedy went down in a bucket in Mine No 1 at 3 o'clock this afternoon They were able to get only within forty feet of the bottom Later experienced miners descended the steps inside the shaft and succeeded after much difficulty in reaching the bottom Here they found further progress barred The fire pressure to the mine proper was choked and they gave it as their opinion that it would take many hours to open the passes They do not think it will be possible to get into the mine tonight

Six Bodies Found

So far six dead men have been taken from the mine as follows

JOHN THOMPSON

Two unidentified miners

CLARENCE WILLIAMS

JOSEPH POWELL

HENRY OWENS

It is known positively that also where in the mine at 180 men who are sure to be dead

Mine Inspector Louttit stated that he did not think any of the men in the mine could survive

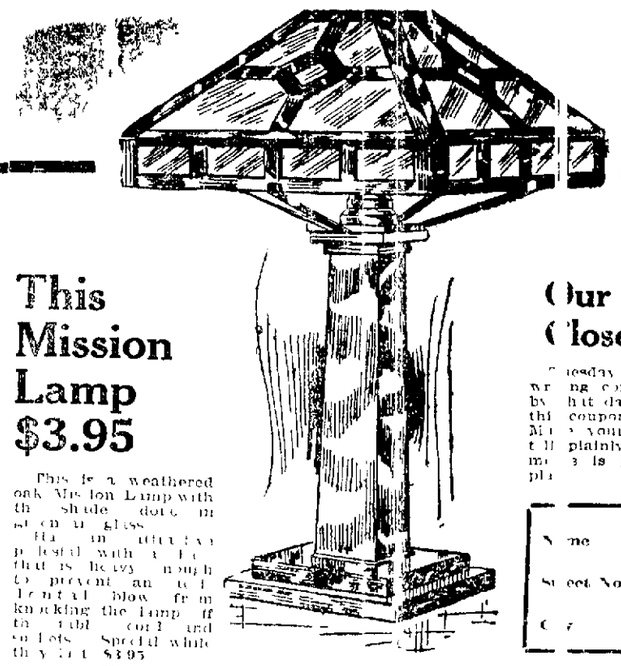
Show at Columbia Theater Full of Laughs and Good Songs.

The Funny Southern Plantation Sketch "The Land of Cotton" Begins Tomorrow Night.

Mr J. M. Lo Dor who has been in Oakland for the past two months with Bessie Mellish company will have his name hung in lights on the Columbia theater Monday night when the company will open a week's engagement in the Land of Cotton. This piece was produced last season at the Camp Mystic, has been playing the Northwest for the past two years and is attracting crowds everywhere it goes. Mr Lo Dor is a comedian of the first water and is ably supported by Miss Bessie Mellish, Miss Grace Taylor and Mr Mel Montgomery. The big company of Coon girls with Grace Taylor and Mr Mel Montgomery at their head will be a feature that has never yet been seen in this city. Prices for the Columbia are reduced to 25 cents for the balance of the week. Matinees will be given Thanksgiving and Saturday afternoons. Comedies at the Columbia at a big expense

The prices of admission as established by the management are so low, twenty and ten cents that it is possible for every man, woman and child in Alameda County to witness the superb production of the Land of Cotton. The comedians in such a production must be those who are well known

In addition to the usual prize given away every night there will be a special drawing for a diamond ring valued at $150 This week another valuable gift will be given.



This Mission Lamp $3.95

This is a weathered oak Mission Lamp with the shade done in stained glass

Our Writing Contest Closes Tuesday Night

Tuesday evening marks the close of our writing contest and all answers must be in by that date If you want to try again clip this coupon and send your answer in at once. Make your article as short as possible and tell plainly why buying furniture on installments is preferable to renting a furnished place

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KLAMATH HOT SPRINGS DROPS

Commencing Sunday November 30th we will sell round trip tickets to Klamath Hot Springs for $5 allowing stopover at any point north of Redding these tickets will not be good for return passage unless purchase has stopped two full days at Klamath Hot Springs and tickets must be validated before return the Spring Mud return limit 90 days from date

For further information see any ticket agent of Southern Pacific company or Portland and Pacific Steamship line streets Oakland

A woman wants to dictate the way her husband parts his hair even when he asks her any to new

The city of Akron has profited in many ways by the growth of rubber manufacturing but the most unique benefit yet to develop is an agreement made by the Diamond Rubber Company by which the latter is to pave nearly an entire street at its own expense The Diamond Tire Company desired the vacation of a small portion of the street so as to connect recent large additions to its older buildings An offer to pave the remainder of the street in return for this was accepted The work involves a twenty thousand dollar expenditure

D. C. BROWN

Formerly of Brown & McIntosh, Has opened a Tailoring Establishment at

111 San Pablo Ave.

fourth door north of 15th street, where he will be pleased to meet old friends also hopes to make many new ones

Cutter, W. C. BARTLETT, Formerly of San Francisco.

ENTERTAINMENT GIVEN BY THE HALCYON CLUB

MEMBERS OF HALCYON CLUB,
Who Gave an Entertainment Friday Night.
—Belle-Oudry Photo.

An informal entertainment was given last Friday evening by the Halcyon Club in Trinity parish, Twenty-ninth and Telegraph avenue. Charades were the order of the program, which was rendered by the members of the society.

There are many talented musicians in the club, who have frequently given public recitals.

At the entertainment much latent ability was displayed by the young people, who have planned a number of dances and delightful affairs for the winter months.

Among those who took part in the charades were Miss Virginia Prest, Miss Grace Bowen, Miss Mary Prest, Miss Minnie Knight, Miss Lillian Campbell, Lance Sucker, Miss Camille Jones, Miss Elizabeth Taylor, Miss Clara French, Miss Muriel Gatman and Miss Ernestine Jones.

CASH RESERVES DROP OVER A MILLION

Clearing House Banks' Report Shows That $28,130,650 More Than Requirements Is Being Held.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The statement of the clearing house for five days shows that the banks hold $28,130,650 more than the requirements of the 25 per cent reserve rule.

This is a decrease of $1,468,975 in the proportionate cash reserve as compared with last week. The statement follows:

Loans, $1,340,537,100; increase, $7,764,000.

Deposits, $1,425,375,000; increase, $11,846,700.

Circulation, $45,748,100; decrease, $2,350,200.

Legal tenders, $80,047,200; increase, $4,331,000.

Specie, $304,427,200; increase, $1,036,700.

Reserve, $334,474,400; increase, $1,367,700.

Reserve required, $356,343,750; increase, $2,837,675.

Surplus, $28,130,650; decrease, $1,468,975.

Ex-U. S. deposits, $30,336,075; decrease, $1,557,010.

The percentage of actual reserve of the clearing house banks today was 26.62.

The statement of banks and trust companies of Greater New York, not reporting to the clearing house shows that those institutions have aggregated deposits of $1,104,841,100; total cash on hand, $105,950,600, and loans amounting to $1,441,191,200.

INSULTING CARTOONS INCITED BOYCOTTS

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 28.—Advices were received by the steamer Empress of Japan last night that the recent anti-boycott riots at Hongkong were incited because of insulting cartoons on Japanese lanterns before Japanese stores announcing the end of the boycott. Steamers were returning to Japan bringing goods which were refused by the consignees on account of the rioting at Hongkong.

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A MODERN MIRACLE.

A new tasteless and odorless discovery which can be given secretly by any lady in tea, coffee or food. Heartily endorsed by temperance workers. It does its work so silently and surely that while the devoted wife, sister or daughter looks on, the drunkard is reclaimed even against his will and without his knowledge. Many have been cured in a single day.

FREE TRIAL COUPON

A free trial package of the wonderful Golden Remedy will be sent you by mail, in plain wrapper, if you will fill in your name and address on blank lines below, cut out the coupon and mail it at once to Dr. J. W. Haines, 3891 Glenn Building, Cincinnati, Ohio.

You can prove to yourself how secretly and easily it can be used, and what a God-send it will be to you.

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ENGINEERS WILL HOLD ANNUAL SESSION

Delegates of American Society Will Meet in New York From December 1 to 4.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers will be held in New York from December first to fourth. An interesting program has been arranged which will include discussions upon topics of general interest to the society. Among the features will be the president's address on the opening day.

President M. L. Holman will speak upon "The Conservation Idea as Applied to the American Society of Mechanical Engineers." The reading of the address will be followed by a social gathering at which the women of the party will be entertained. The annual business meeting, the report of the council, tellers and standing and special committees will follow the reception.

Professional Session

On Wednesday the professional session at 2 p. m. will include addresses by the following: A. R. Dodge, Dr. Harvey N. Davis and C. R. Weymouth.

The following addresses will be delivered at the session on December 3:

"Efficiency Tests of Milling Machines and Milling Cutters," by A. L. De-Leeuw.

"Metal Cutting Tools Without Clearance," by James Hartness.

"Interchangeable Involute Gear Tooth Systems," by Ralph E. Flanders.

"Durability of Gears in Electric Railway Service," Norman Litchfield.

"Industrial Photography," by Ashton Hand.

The following papers will be read at the afternoon session:

"Articulated Compound Locomotives," by C. J. Mellin.

"Liquid Tachometers," Amasa Trowbridge.

"Training Workmen," by H. L. Gantt.

"An Averaging Instrument for Polar Diagrams," by Prof. W. F. Durand.

"Salt Manufacture," by George B. Willcox.

"Reminiscences of a Gas Engine Designer," L. H. Nash.

"Possibilities of the Gasoline Turbine," Prof. F. C. Wagner.

Social Evening

In the evening a reception and dance will be held, followed by a banquet.

The program for the closing day is as follows:

"Physical Properties of Carbonic Acid and the Conditions of Its Economic Storage for Transportation," by Prof. R. T. Stewart.

"The Slipping Point of Rolled Boiler Tube Joints," by O. P. Hood and Prof. G. L. Christensen.

"Tests on Friction Clutches for Power Transmission," by Prof. Richard G. Dukes.

During the past few years the society has gained in membership and a representative gathering of at least 2000 is expected.

RAILROAD OFFICERS BECOME MINSTRELS

The Transportation Club's minstrel show last night in its clubrooms in the Flood Building, San Francisco, was a very successful affair. Fully 250 members were in attendance. Samuel F. Booth acted as interlocutor, while the endmen were William W. Webster, Bode K. Smith, E. H. Torpey and Harry Graham. The program was as follows:

Opening Chorus.
Solo .....James Weeks
"You're in the Wrong Church, but the Right Pew" .....Bode Smith
Solo .....R. M. Bachach
"Let It Alone" .....Billy Webster
Solo .....Walter Kneiss
"Easy Money" .....Harry Graham
Monologue .....Captain Leale
Boxing Match .....Harry Graham vs. Geo. Lippman
Monologue .....Captain Leale
Tight Rope Act .....Harry Jayman
Tramp Specialty .....Arthur Levinsky
Closing Chorus.

The committee which had charge of the show consisted of Messrs. Buch, Lyman, Avila and Mansfield. It had the assistance of M. J. Hynes as stage director.

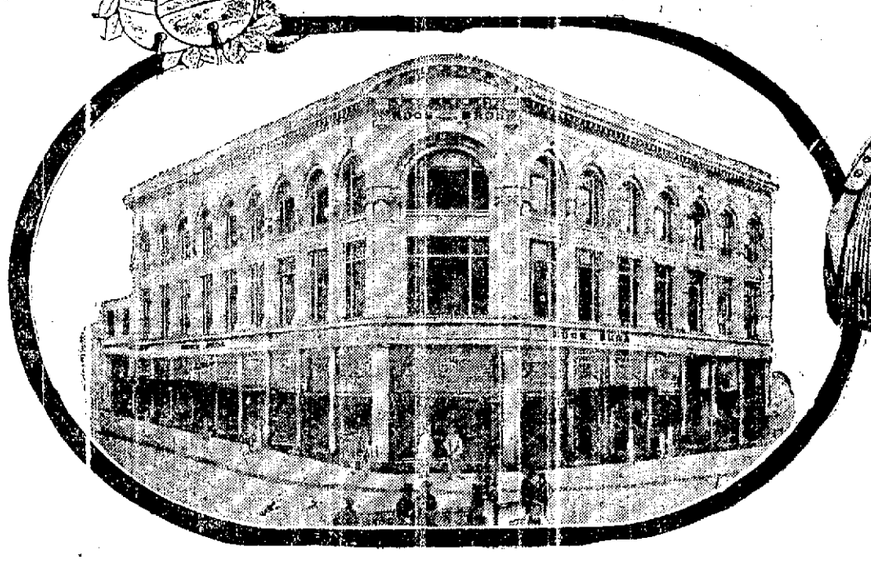
MUSIC SERVICES AT EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH

BERKELEY, Nov. 28.—Following is the musical program to be given tomorrow night at Epworth M. E. Church, South, by the orchestra:

"Angel's Serenade," Braga; trombone solo, "Evening Star," from Tannhauser, played by W. H. Mahland; "The Guardian Angel," Gounod; baritone solo, "Hold Thou My Hand," C. S. Brigg, sung by Neil Lansing.

Rev. J. A. B. Fry will deliver a sermon on "The Boyhood of Christ."

ROOS BROS. NEW STORE



MARKET AT STOCKTON AND ELLIS

Will Open To-Morrow

ROOS BROS. will present to the public of San Francisco to-morrow a store that is a worthy and creditable addition to the new San Francisco---one in which every newest, practicable store device has been installed for the convenience and comfort of our patrons. The store is new but the old business policy still remains---to give in whatever we have to offer: Quality, always quality, quality constantly uppermost. THAT POLICY will be rigidly maintained.

Located at the junction of three streets, the very center about which the city's retail trade now revolves, this store occupies completely a spacious four story building containing 60,000 square feet of floor space, each and every inch of which is flooded with light pouring through an almost solid front of plate glass along the entire street front, 255 feet in length.

If our fifty odd years in business in San Francisco have brought to us a reputation for right dealing and for merchandise that is right in quality and price, we are confident that the new Roos Bros.' store to be opened to-morrow will enhance that reputation. The public is cordially invited to inspect our new additional business home.

ROOS BROS.

CLOTHIERS To Men, Women and Children

MANY CHANGES ARE SOUGHT IN THE TARIFF

Efforts Made to Have Hides, Coal, Works of Art and Other Imports Placed on Free List.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28. — When today's hearings before the house ways and means committee for the consideration of the schedule of the tariff covering sundries began it was expected that it would develop the most radical tariff reduction testimony that has yet been presented at the hearings. This attitude was expected to be assumed more particularly with regard to leather and hides, coal, agricultural implements and works of art. The sundries schedule is of greater general interest than any other of the tariff.

Shoe and leather manufacturers from every part of the United States, were to appear today to make a strong fight to have hides again placed on the free list.

Regarded With Favor.

The Republican members of the committee are said to look favorably upon a reduction in the duty on hides, especially as it has been the policy of the Roosevelt administration to take every possible means to increase the trade relations between the United States and Southampton, whence most of the hides are imported.

Representative Champ Clark of Missouri and the other Democratic members of the committee probably will seize the opportunity to probe the so-called "beef trust" and testimony in this connection will prove interesting, as those who favor free entry of hides contend that the large packers are the only ones who derive any benefit from the present fifteen per cent ad valorem duty on hides. They claim that the farmer, who is supposed to be protected by the present duty, does not get any benefit from the tariff because the packers fix their own prices for the animals they purchase from the farmers.

On Other Reports.

There also will be many requests for free entry of coal.

Educational and art institutions throughout the country have urged the committee to recommend favorably the placing of works of art on the free list. The "tariff for revenue," members of the committee will argue against such action and the arguments in favor of such legislation will prove interesting in view of Andrew Carnegie's recent remarks in regard to the free admission of articles used by the rich. Those favoring the free entry of works of art claim that it would be in the interest of education to encourage the importation of art objects.

WATSON SAILS FOR SEATTLE.

Fifty passengers sailed yesterday in the Alaska Pacific Company's steamer Watson, Captain Griffith, for Seattle direct. The cargo, general in character, amounted to 1850 tons.

CAPTAIN KITT IN COSTA RICA.

E. P. Kitt, for a long time chief officer of the Pacific Mail liner Calina, later on the Siberia in the same capacity, has been appointed to the command of the steamer Costa Rica.

Music in Golden Gate Park Today

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—The following musical program will be given in the bandstand at Golden Gate Park Sunday.

Part I.

Anthem, "Star Spangled Banner."
March "Free Lance".....Sousa
Waltz, "Carmencita" .....Rosas
Overture of Mozart's melodies.....Suppe
(a) Entre act, "M'lle Modiste".....Herbert
(b) "Minuet a l'Antique".....Paderewski

Part II.

Overture "William Tell" ....Rossini
"Wee MacGregor" .....Ames
Gems from Offenbach.....Wiegand
Ballet suite, "Faust".....De Libes
(a) Cors de Ballet.
(b) Assemble of Nubians.
(c) Entry of Nubian slaves.
(d) Solo dance Cleopatra.
Selection, "Prince of Pilsen".....Luders
"America."

TWO PETALUMA COUPLES CELEBRATE MARRIAGES

PETALUMA, Nov. 28.—At the home of the bride's mother, in this city today, Miss Eva Lewis was married to Alexander Moran, the Rev. E. B. Hays officiating.

Mr. Moran is connected with the Pacific Gas and Electric Company at Electra, Amador county, where the couple will reside.

Miss Florence Groulx and George Straub were married last night at the Presbyterian Church. The bridegroom is superintendent of the Mabel Smith-Burdell ranch, near Petaluma.

TO GIVE WINDOW.

SANTA ROSA, Nov. 28.—The Very Rev. A. L. Burleson, former rector of the Episcopal Church here, and who is on his way to Guadalajara, Mexico, will present to the Church of the Incarnation here a handsome memorial window to the memory of his deceased wife.

WANT LATIN BAKERS TO GET LARGER WAGE

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—A conference will be held tomorrow between the San Francisco Labor Temple be[illegible] proprietors of the Latin bakeries and representatives of the Journeymen Bakers' Union, the State Federation of Labor and the local Labor Council. The meeting will consider an adjustment of wage conditions for the French and Italian journeymen. At the Latin journeymen recently affiliated with the Bakers' Union has been agitating the unionization of Latin bakeshops. The wage paid the French and Italian bakers is less than the existing scale of the American and the competition of bakeries seriously injures both the owners and the men employed in these shops.

JAILED IN SAN DIEGO FOR CHARGE O NAOKLAND

SAN DIEGO, Nov. 28.—Just before he was due to walk on the stage of the Empire Theater this afternoon for his vaudeville turn, David Leerner, a Hebrew comedian, was arrested by the police at the request of the Oakland authorities. Leerner is said to be wanted in Oakland for embezzlement, though he says he knows of no charge that could possibly be placed against him and that he has not been in Oakland in six months.

BUSINESS PREVENTS TOUR OF THE WORLD

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—C. B. Wells, the millionaire sugar planter of Waihiku, Hawaii, sailed today in the Oceanic steamer Alameda for Honolulu. He came here last Tuesday in the same steamer from the islands, bound for New York and Europe on a three years' tour of the world, but on account of business engagements has had to return to Honolulu. Later, he will come to the mainland to join his daughter, Miss Laura Wells, and make the world tour, in the course of which he will ascend the Nile and make trips to other out-of-the-way places. The Alameda carried three score passengers for Honolulu.

FORMER POLICE CHIEF SUES FOR $10,000

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Suit was begun today in the Superior Court by former Chief of Police Wittman against Jacob George Liebold and the California Vehicle and Harness Company to compel the return of $10,000, which Wittman asserts he was induced to invest in the harness concern through the alleged misrepresentations of Liebold.

Railroad Company Convicted.

The Nevada County Narrow Gauge railroad was convicted in Judge DeHaven's court in San Francisco yesterday on two charges of violating the safety appliance law. The charges against the Southern Pacific Company will be heard on Monday.

We regard the pleasing of our customers a most worthy object, to which end we spare nothing.

CLARKE BROS.
FLORISTS CLAY and TWELFTH.

Stain Your Hair A Rich Brown

Simple Preparation of Walnut Juice That Defies Detection.

An interesting little book has been issued on the remarkable effects of walnut juice in staining gray, faded or bleached hair. It has the advantage over hair dyes of being non-injurious to the hair, containing no silver, sulphur, lead or other poisons which cause hair-falling, and containing no odor, no oil, no sediment and no grease. At the same time, an opportunity is given to everyone who wishes to stain the hair to send for one of the laboratory trial packages, which Mrs. Potter's Hygenic Supply Co., 640 Groton building, Cincinnati, Ohio, will send by mail in plain, sealed wrapper.

Those desiring to procure a trial package of this walnut juice hair stain, as well as their book on hair, should write to the above address, and inclose 25 cents in stamps or coin, and if it is desired to continue the treatment the preparation may be obtained at drug stores generally at $1 for a full size package.

It is said that the stain blends so softly with the actual color of the hair as to deceive experts. It can be applied in a few moments with the comb every thirty days. It stains nothing but the hair, and does it evenly from tip to root. Any shade can be obtained from a beautiful rich brown to almost black. It does not rub off on clothing. One bottle ordinarily lasts a year.

Send for the 25-cent trial package today.

Mrs. Potter's Walnut Juice Hair Stain is recommended and for sale in Oakland by The Owl Drug Co., Thirteenth and Broadway, Washington and Tenth sts., 418 Thirteenth st., Sixteenth and San Pablo avenue.

SOCIAL CLUB FORMED BY HEBREW RESIDENTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Hebrew residents in the vicinity of San Bruno road have formed an organization known as the Hebrew Social Club. At present it has many members and is rapidly growing.

It was formed for the purpose of improving its members in the duties of citizenship. The club meets twice a month at 2570 San Bruno avenue. The officers are:

President, S. Lubin; first vice president, S. Cooper; second vice president, J. Weinberg; secretary, A. Abrams; treasurer, B. Cooper, sergeant-at-arms, H. Greenberg; conductor, P. Barles.

TALKS ON TEETH

Loose Teeth

BY

Rex Dental Co. Inc.

The most dreaded disease of the dental profession is Alveolar Pyorrhea, commonly known as Riggs' Disease.

In such cases the gums become congested, recede from the teeth, causing them to become loose and in time to fall out.

Most dentists, in fact, we might say ALL dentists, throw up their hands when a case comes before them and declare there is no remedy for the "loose-tooth" victim.

They can only suggest the "pulling" cure, and as a consequence many an unfortunate is wearing a whole or partial plate today by reason of such ignorant advice.

It seems a pity. Teeth perfectly sound—just LOOSE. WE CURE SUCH CASES AND GUARANTEE THE WORK.

When we make this statement we are fully aware that almost every other dentist in town will want to argue the question with us and enter a firm denial that Riggs' Disease can be cured.

Why not? Simply because they have tried and failed.

That won't do for an answer.

If YOU have some loose teeth and want a practical demonstration of our ability to cure the cause and make the gums strong and healthy again it is only a short walk to our office.

It will be an easy matter to make us "fish or cut bait." The examination is absolutely free.

A few years ago Marconi came before the world and said he could send messages through the air without the aid of wires.

Every telegraph operator in the land said, "Nonsense! It can't be done!" But Marconi did it and is doing it today.

We shall go a step farther and make a broader claim for our method of curing loose teeth.

If you have two or more teeth in either jaw, whether tight or loose, we will not only tighten the loose ones, but will build teeth around them and give you a full set that will look, feel and to all intents and for all purposes be the same as those that nature gave you, WITHOUT USING A PLATE.

With these teeth you will be able to chew beefsteak or anything else you care to eat and get all the enjoyment you used to get when you had all your natural teeth.

Now, if this statement is true, it is remarkable.

Such a thing has never been attempted before we patented the process. It is so remarkable that we are not surprised sometimes at the doubting Thomases who come here and demand proof before they will have the work done. We are glad to give you that PROOF.

Don't, we beg of you, don't allow a single loose tooth to be pulled without first letting us look at it.

Save your teeth.

We will help you.

Send for the Rex Dental Company's book, "Alveolar Dentistry," which goes into details. It is FREE. But where possible, come to our offices and let us look your teeth over. This is free, too.

The Rex Dental Co.

DENTISTS

OAKLAND—31-33 Bacon Bldg., Twelfth and Washington.

SAN FRANCISCO—221-226 Pacific Bldg., Fourth and Market.

LOS ANGELES—205 Severance Bldg.

Office Hours—8:30 to 5:30. Sundays—9 to 12.

IN MEMORY OF JOHN G. LEMMON

Professor Putzker Pays Tribute to the Memory of His Deceased Friend.

Our community has sustained a great loss through the death of a noble and useful citizen, who dwelled in our midst for so many years that we claim him proudly as a Californian, although he was born far from our land.

Mr. Lemmon's most important activity found a fertile field in our State since the year of 1866, and he loved California, and was happy in her service. These few poor lines in his honor are written to make the people realize their loss, to serve as an expression of the present writer's high regard for the departed friend, and to offer some slight, even though utterly insufficient, solace to his great-souled widow and to the many who mourn over his death.

His Happy Marriage

I first met Mr. Lemmon in the year of 1880, when he married my life-long friend, Miss Sara Plummer, the present widow, whom I had learned to appreciate as a most cultured lady when I lived at Santa Barbara. This marriage was a union in the real sense of the word. The two were one; both were full of noblest aspirations; both were cheerful and optimistic; they loved nature above all else; they rose above the level of the small affairs of life; their talk was on books, philosophy and religious progress, their recreation in forest and field by the side of the running brook; their most intense devotion lay in the realm of trees, flowers, ferns, and plants of every kind. This devotion found expression in deep botanical studies, and to valuable discoveries, to which numerous important writings and books bear lasting testimony. Here there was perfect co-operation and conjugal harmony. This union, alas, is now severed, and one bleeding heart beats in dreary loneliness. But God is great and merciful, and He will bring consolation to her, a woman so high minded and so courageous as there are few.

His Botanical Service

Professor Lemmon—he was called professor here in university circles on account of his vast botanical knowledge and service—was possessed of very remarkable characteristics. On the one hand he was childlike, unsophisticated, bland, guileless, charitable, incapable of harming a fly, much less a human being, knowing not wrong, therefore unsuspecting of evil; in a word, he was the mildest, sweetest of men, and one never would have coupled his individuality with that of a warrior. And yet, on the other hand, he was all fire and flame when he commenced to talk of his military experiences during the Civil War. He joined the army voluntarily from motives of humanity and participated in many engagements and battles. His body suffered from many ailments in consequence of his military career. His wounds received upon the battlefield caused him much trouble to the end of his life, and he would probably have lived longer had not his body undergone the terrible hardships of a long campaign. But in spirit he gloried in his military service to his country, and this mild and charming man must once have been a most valerous soldier. He could thrill an audience with the narrative of the most horrible experiences, privations of food and drink, desperate situations in the midst of unspeakable filth, degrading punishment for infractions of infamous regulations during his long imprisonment in Andersonville prison, where he pined away his time, wounded and sick, to the end of the war.

Genuinely Modest

Mr. Lemmon was genuinely modest and cared not for fame, glory and honors, but he wore with pride the button of the Grand Army of the Republic as a token of former glory.

What a strange combination in this character, the sweet, peaceable scholar and thinker and the brave warrior! Another prominent trait in his character was his infectious mirthfulness. He walked through life with a smile upon his face and wherever he was there was cheer and laughter. He was a happy raconteur, and time seemed winged in his company. In appearance he seemed so youthful that nobody could suspect his advanced years. I could never think of him as a man not very far from eighty years. To the last he was in the full possession of his intellectual vigor, and his hair was not bleached.

Working in Garden

The last time I saw him a few weeks ago he was at work with spade and hoe in his beloved garden. Not so very long ago he undertook a most arduous camping trip, in company with Mrs. Lemmon, through Mexico and, in spite of great sickness, came out victorious, having gathered valuable botanical material for future use. This had by no means been the first undertaking of the kind. Here we see indications of strong will-power where it was a question to serve his beloved science.

But his appointed time had come, and we had to see him part. His beloved trees, his grand army of friends, have gone to their winter sleep, and he, too, laid down to rest from life's toils and labors. Altogether, he was a man of lovely nature and rare qualities of heart and soul and the gap created by his departure will not be filled in the hearts of his friends and admirers, but the remembrance of him will ever remain lovely. Is it a wonder then that a manly man wept bitterly as he communicated to us the sad news of his death? We, too, feel the tears coming to our eyes as we think back of this fine man and implore God in heaven to grant him eternal peace.

ALBIN PUTZKER.

Berkeley, Cal.

SHASTA RETREAT AND RETURN.

Commencing December 26 and continuing up to January 29 inclusive, we will sell round-trip tickets to above point for $12.15, allowing stopover at any point north of Redding. These tickets will not be good for return journey unless purchaser has stopped two full days at Shasta Retreat. Tickets must be validated before returning. Final return limit 90 days from sale date.

For further information see any Southern Pacific agent or Southern Pacific Company, corner Thirteenth and Franklin streets, Oakland.

25% off the marked prices of All Ladies' Furs in the House

This great sale is the talk of the town. It will be continued till the department is cleaned out. If you wish, you can make a deposit and we'll hold your purchase. Great chance to select Christmas gifts.

H. C. Capwell Co.

THE LACE HOUSE
12TH AND WASHINGTON STS.
OAKLAND.

Ladies' Dainty Neckwear

Every woman is looking for something exclusive and novel in neckwear—here is where she will find it.

Our complete holiday display is here and includes a multitude of pretty ideas in fancy stocks, Gibson collars, silk and lace collars, Irish crocheted collars, tabs and bows, of all up-to-date kinds. Satisfaction here for everybody—

35c, 50c and to $3.50

A Holiday Foreword

YOU would not go to the box office of a theater at 7:59 p. m. and expect to buy the best seats in the house. Neither should you leave your holiday shopping till Christmas eve and expect to find full assortments of goods.

NOW is the time to get busy. Stocks are unbroken; clerks are not rushed; you are not jostled by the crowd; you can take time to secure just what you wish. No need to say more.

Newest of Embroideries

In the holiday display of beautiful embroideries is much that is remarkable for its novelty and exclusiveness. Some very appropriate lines are:

Corset Cover Embroideries of swiss and nainsook, 18 inches wide, in a great diversity of patterns from the most delicate spray to the boldest floral figuring; also all-over embroidered effects and cross-bar designs; many of these patterns are finished with Baby Irish or lace edge—

50c, 75c, 85c and up to $1.75 yd

A splendid variety of finished-edge bands and beadings suitable for trimming corset covers and dresses; widths range from 1 to 3 inches; among the patterns are dozens of new designs noteworthy for their daintiness—

12½c, 20c and to 65c yd.

Gents' Furnishings

A few seasonable lines of excellent quality are:

Gents' Merino Underwear—Shirts and drawers in 3-4 wool; all sizes, including extra sizes, garment **$1.00**

Men's Flannelette Night Gowns—Neatly trimmed made of good quality of flannelette, two grades—

75c and $1.00

Men's Muslin Night Shirts—In fine quality of heavy twilled muslin, with or without collar, each **$1.00**

Men's Cotton Half Hose—In black, an imported article of fine Maco yarn; either plain black or white sole; excellent value at, pair **25c**

Men's Cashmere Half Hose—Black or grey, double heel, sole and toe; our standard quality, pair ... **25c**

Special Offering of Extra Sizes in Tailored Suits $25 ---SPECIAL

This Is An Opportunity

not often afforded stout women. These extra-sized Suits are from a New York house that makes a special feature of fitting the hard to fit.

Cleverness in designing gives the effect of normal measurements.

Styles are the popular semi-fitting and tight-fitting long coat suits of latest mode.

Materials are broadcloths, hard-twisted fabrics and new mixtures in all colors.

Sale of

Misses' Suits

Monday Special $15

Values $22.50 to $30.00

Broken lines of Misses' Suits. Styles are the newest; fabrics and colors are strictly right and price is put away down because the workrooms are too busy to undertake alterations. Choice at $15.00.

Ribbon Special 15c yd

To start a busy week in the Ribbon Section, we have taken about 2000 yards of 3-inch all-silk Dresden Ribbon and have marked it for quick selling at ..... **15c yd**

These pretty ribbons are in many designs of rosebud patterns with colored edge to match; light blue, pink, maize and other colors; suitable for fancy work and general holiday purposes.

Children's Furnishings

A few seasonable necessities are:

Children's Merino Vests and Pants—3-4 wool, positively unshrinkable, white or natural; sizes 20 to 34—price ..... **45c to 85c each**

Dr. Denton Sleeping Garments—For children of all ages; cover all over; just the thing for these cold nights. Prices range according to size, from **50c to $1.00**

"Cadet" Hose for Children—Never a mar fear; reinforced throughout; three weights, good for boys or girls ..... **25c pair**

Winter Shawls

Ice-wool Shawls or Fascinators; black or white—

1.35, $1.65, $1.75 and to $3.50

Silk Shawls; black; several sizes—

1.00, $1.25, $1.50 and to $6

Crocheted Wool Shawls; square; several sizes—

35c, 45c, 65c and to $4.25

Hand-crocheted Shawls; any color or combination of colors; circular—

$1.25, $1.50 and to $3.50

Latest Holiday Veilings

The demand for the many novelties in Russian mesh veilings was apparent some months ago and we prepared for it. We are now showing a complete lot of these veilings in black, brown, navy, taupe, canard blue and peacock—

25c, 35c and to $1 yd

Many novelties in the new black and white complexion veilings; several sizes of mesh—new effects—

25c, 35c and to $1.25 yd

In the veiling section you can depend upon finding any kind of veiling that is in demand by those who follow the lead of fashion.

Hair Ornament Novelties

Very stylish are the new arrivals in carved Back Combs and Barettes of amber, shell and the new gray effects. The wide variety assures a pleasing choice for everybody; barettes— **25c, 50c and to $1.75**

Fancy Back Combs set with rhinestones and jewels—

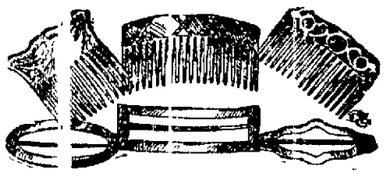
$1.50, $2.25 and to $13.50

Ribbon Combs and Bandeaux, same general styles as back combs—

15c, 25c, 50c

Plain and fancy Side Combs, all kinds of novelties—

25c, 50c, 75c and up



Easy to Choose a Waist

Daintiness and exclusiveness are the two features sought by ladies when waist buying—the quest is always for something new; well, here it is in one or other of our many lines.

MESSALINE WAISTS

Late arrivals in fancy Messaline Waists with the new mousquetaire sleeves; every detail strictly to date—

$6.50, $6.75, $7.50 and to $11.50,

LINEN WAISTS

Hand-embroidered Linen Tailored Waists; stylish, smart and popular—

$3.50, $4.50 and to $6.50

SILK WAISTS

Novelties in Tailored Taffeta Silk Waists, neatly tucked, exquisitely finished—waists that demonstrate style and good taste—

$4.25, $5.00, $5.75 and to $9.50.

English "Piccadilly" Coats for Misses

In a class by themselves are the genuine English "Piccadilly" coats for children.

Look at the two smart coats shown in the pictures. It's the old colonial story over again—English origin, American development.

Strictly tailored, of serviceable length—are made of mannish mixtures, checks and plaids in all colors; some have collars and cuffs of velvet; sizes 4 to 14 years.

Be sure to see that the "Piccadilly" label is sewn on to the garment. Prices are:

$5.95, $6.50, $7.50, $8.50 to $16.50

Easy to Find the Right Corset

It would appear as if the corset today were the most important article of a woman's apparel. Comfort, health, style—each is to be studied in the production of an up-to-date corset—and these problems must be correctly worked out, no matter what the grade.

We say unhesitatingly that no matter what your individual requirements may be in the matter of corsets, we can insure you perfect satisfaction, even if you require an out-size, we are prepared to fill your wants to the last detail.

The latest models in the "Kabo," "Celeno," "Royal Worcester," "Quality," "Thompson's Glove Fitting" and other styles are here and you can safely leave the rest to our expert fitters. Corsets at all grades from

$1, $1.50, $2 and up to $10.00

Spool Stand A Useful Gift 50c

This stand revolves on a stable foundation, is beautifully finished in nickel, will carry 12 spools so that each can be used without disturbing the other. At top is an emery cushion for needles. A great convenience for all who sew.

Holiday Belts

Very popular are the Directoire and Sheath Belts which drape so gracefully at the side.

The Directoire Belts come in black silk finished with tassels or knobs, in either straight or girdle style **$1.25, $1.75**

Sheath Belts in assorted colors, several styles **$1.25, $1.75**

A very large variety of Elastic Belts from the plain, solid color Elastic Belt at 25c up to the very elaborate steel studded Elastic Belt with magnificent buckle at **$7.50**

Winter Millinery

Many people put off buying their winter hats until the arrival of the holiday season.

Our Millinery Department is now showing some of the most stylish Winter Hats that have been designed this season. It is also prepared to take your ideas and construct any kind of hat you wish.

You will find a complete assortment of up-to-date shapes and a magnificent selection of plumes, feathers, buckles and all kinds of stylish hat trimmings, and you will meet people who are thoroughly competent to take your idea and make it into a reality.

Ladies' Eiderdown Bath Robes

Stylish, all-wool ripple Eiderdown Bath Robes; full length with flowing sleeves, frog fastenings, satin facings; in pink, gray, red and blue—

$4.25, $4.50, $5.75 and to $10

Little Misses' Bath Robes, made of all-wool ripple Eiderdown, sizes 4 to 12 years—

$3.00, $3.50 and to $4.50

Linen Scarfs and Center Pieces

In our Domestic Department will be found a very satisfying selection of the smaller things for the dining table and sideboard.

Mexican Hand-drawn Linen Squares, Center Pieces and Scarfs; wide range of sizes ..... **50c to $6.50 ea.**

Irish Hand-embroidered Linen Center Pieces and Doylies; plenty of sizes ..... **75c to $8.50 ea.**

Battenberg Center Pieces; round, many sizes ..... **75c to $7.50**

Battenberg Scarfs to match ..... **$1.00 to $5.50**

Hand-made Cluny Lace Trimmed Center Pieces ..... **$1.25 to $45**

Pretty Dolls Waiting to be Dressed

—there's an interesting variety of them. A complete line of Kestner dolls, well made, with jointed arms and legs the "work" and eyes that open and close. From 7 to 32 inches in length. Blond, auburn and brunette types, without and with eyelashes.

Kid body dolls, double-jointed, priced according to size ..... **50c, 75c** **$1.50 and to $8.00**

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Thoroughly equipped for the holiday trade is our jewelry section. Here will be found at the most reasonable prices a complete variety of Hat Pins, Bayadere Necklace, Belt Pins and Buckles, Brooches, Waist Sets, Cuff Links, Collar Pin Sets, Beauty Pin Sets, Baby Pin Sets, Stick Pins, Bracelets, etc.

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PROSECUTOR SHOT DEAD BY DISBARRED ATTORNEY

U. S. FLEET FORCED JAPAN INTO TREATY, IS THE BELIEF

Senate May Reject Root-Takahira Agreement

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—Further discussion of the Japanese agreement tonight indicates that if it were signed by Root and Takahira and became a formal treaty, it would be rejected by the Senate because it would subvert the traditional United States policy of no alliance with foreign nations.

The agreement or notes of agreement with Japan are an entirely different thing from the agreements of the United States with all the European nations of the first class to respect the integrity of China, as set forth in the celebrated John Hay circular note for the open door.

If the Senate should ratify the agreement, some of the diplomats here say that the result would be an actual "triple alliance," composed of the United States, Japan and Great Britain. Great Britain already has an offensive and defensive treaty of alliance with Japan.

Two Views Held

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The sending of the Atlantic fleet into Japanese waters and the reinforcement of that fleet from stations near at hand in the Pacific forced Japan to subscribe to an agreement that she would give up all intention of attacking Hawaii or the Philippines in order to force Japanese immigration legislation by the United States.

There was no need to enter into any kind of an agreement with Japan, inasmuch as the United States always could maintain in the Pacific a naval force sufficient to overawe Japan and to produce peace between these two nations.

These are two important views of the treaty, or agreement, which it is admitted today exists between the Mikado and the state department. The first is held by friends of the administration. The second is held by those who consider the treaty an unnecessary sop thrown out to pacify a belligerent nation that could not fight except diplomatically.

"Hands Off"

Secretary Root is not here, but department officials describe "the treaty" as a "hands off" agreement for the purpose of testifying the mutual admiration of the two countries for each other.

Administration officials say tonight that if the senate objects to the manner in which the treaty was prepared there will be two complete answers.

That the prestige of the United States is maintained to the disadvantage of Japan in the agreement, that the possessions of each country are to be respected because it is evident to the world that the United States could destroy the Japanese navy.

That Japan would not have agreed absolutely to respect the integrity of China were not the United States able to force the issue and ready to force it.

There is a seeming certainty, notwithstanding the Root-Japanese treaty, that at least five battleships will be added to the effective force in what is known as the Pacific fleet. Perhaps far-seeing officials here are not sure that the Japanese agreement for a treaty will be ratified by the senate, and otherwise it will be a dead letter.

Overtures in 1905

HOT SPRINGS, Va., Nov. 28.—It can be stated upon authority that as early as 1905 Japan made overtures to the United States for an understanding of the maintenance of the status quo in Asia, an understanding, the original idea of which contemplated a concerted action by the United States, Japan and Great Britain. At that time the defensive alliance between Japan and Great Britain already had been formed.

That such a triple alliance or understanding was proposed is a secret that has been carefully guarded up to the present time. The proposal by Japan was made through William H. Taft when Taft, as Secretary of War, was returning to the Philippines, he stopped in Japan and was received with almost dramatic hospitality by the Japanese government.

One of the imperial ministers—Count Katsura—sought a private interview with him. Speaking for the Emperor, this minister announced to the American Secretary of War that Japan desired to enter into an understanding which would include both the United States and Great Britain.

Support of United States

Disclaiming all right or inclination to speak for his country save as a private individual, the Secretary assured the imperial representative that the United States desired the maintenance of the Chinese empire, "the open door policy," and the other equal and fair conditions suggested, and that he felt himself justified in saying that while an American-British-Japanese alliance was not to be thought of, Japan might go ahead, and as far as she adhered to the program and purposes set forth, she need fear no lack of sympathy and support from the United States.

Count Katsura assured Taft that Japan had no designs on the Philippines so long as a proper, stable government was maintained; in other words, that the United States need fear nothing from Japan. Taft, speaking unofficially, said that he was sure the United States would have no interest in Korea except the same interest that Japan manifested in the Philippines. Both Taft and Count Katsura gave assurances of a purpose to maintain the open door in China and the final effect of the talk tended toward an understanding to maintain the peace in the Pacific.

At the end of the conference the Japanese minister prepared a memorandum of the conversation. This was edited by Taft, who cabled it to the President through the State department. The note is in the archives of the State department now.

The President replied approving the proposition.

SIX KILLED IN SALT MINE

MINERS ASPHYXIATED BY SULPHITE GASES

Failed to Connect Air Tubes and Meet Tragic Death in Depths of Earth near Detroit.

DETROIT, Mich., Nov. 28.—Six men met death 300 feet underground in the Oakwood salt mine, one mile west of Detroit, this afternoon. Asphyxiation by hydrogen sulphide gas, because of their carelessness in not connecting their air tube, was the direct cause of their deaths.

Three of the bodies were recovered from watery graves at the bottom of the shaft by a rescue party an hour after the accident had taken place. There are three others yet to be reclaimed, and all night miners flirted with the death that had taken their fellows in an effort to get the bodies of the three other victims.

The dead.

Frank Willey, foreman of the shaft.
Edward Brooks.
James Gibson.
Joseph Dailey.
Louis P. Peterson.
William Holt.

Bounced for 3600 Feet in Flume Over Jagged Rocks

WEAVERVILLE, Nov. 28.—Paul Gein was washed down the La Grange flume, a distance of 3600 feet, this morning. Swept along by 6000 inches of water running with terrific velocity and tossed about among boulders varying in weight from 100 pounds to 1000, Gein escaped with his life, receiving only bruises on his hands and body. That he escaped death by drowning is miraculous.

George Bosmer was also washed down the flume a distance of fifty feet. He escaped all harm by climbing out of the flume before the full force of the torrent struck him. Bosmer was at work in the bottom of the flume when the headgates were opened. Struck by the advance wave, he caught hold of the sides of the flume and climbed out.

Going up the walkway along the side of the flume, Bosmer saw Gein dart by. Gein had fallen in above. He remained cool and collected, battling for his life, struggling to keep from drowning in the sluiceway where water ran three feet deep and with force enough to sweep along boulders by the hundreds, and hoping to escape death at the mouth of the flume, where all the rocks are dumped in a pile.

Bosmer called other miners and a score went to the flume outlet, almost three-quarters of a mile away, expecting to find Gein's dead body. He was not dead, nor was he unconscious. The great rush of water carried him fifty feet beyond the mouth of the flume and over the rockpile. The drop was one of fifteen feet into loose gravel. Gein was bruised and battered, but no bones were broken.

Gein had exactly the same experience four years ago in the same flume and escaped then without breaking a bone.

STATESMEN PLAN HETCH-HETCHY ACTION

Senator Perkins and Congressmen Confer With San Francisco Officials.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Senator Perkins, Congressmen Knowland, Hayes and Kahn met with Mayor Taylor, the city officials and representatives of civic bodies in the offices of Curtis H. Lindley, Mills building, this morning, to discuss what should be done to secure the approval of Congress of the agreement between the Secretary of the Interior and the City of San Francisco, in regard to the Hetch-Hetchy and Lake Eleanor water supplies.

E. A. Wolcott made objection to three points in the agreement. Section five pledges San Francisco in no way to interfere with the storage of flood waters by irrigation districts in sites other than Lake Eleanor and Hetch-Hetchy. The objection raised to this was that the agreement would prevent the city from opposing the use of storage sites above Lake Eleanor, thus intercepting the waters before they reached the reservoirs.

City Engineer Manson replied that the irrigation districts owned only one site above Lake Eleanor and Hetch-Hetchy, and that in ordinary years enough water comes down from this water shed to fill every reservoir that could be built above the sites, and still leave a surplus.

PIONEER MERCHANT IS SUMMONED BY DEATH

Thomas J. Clooney Suddenly Dies at His Home After An Eventful Career.

Thomas J. Clooney, a pioneer coal dealer of this city, who has resided here for thirty years, died suddenly Thursday night at his home, 763 Fifty-sixth street. Mr. Clooney was stricken with a severe attack of Bright's disease, which proved fatal.

Mr. Clooney's sudden death is a shock to his many friends, his illness having been of short duration.

Deceased had been in business here for about thirty years, and was prominently identified with the mercantile interests of the city. Several years ago he retired from active business and devoted his time to the upbuilding of the city.

Mr. Clooney was a native of St. Johns, New Zealand, and was 63 years of age. He leaves a widow and four children.

PECULIAR AUTO ACCIDENT IS FATAL

Wealthy Woman Run Over By Machine Being Towed at the End of a Long Rope.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Miss Julia Osgood, a middle-aged wealthy spinster, who lived in luxurious apartments at 882 Central Park West, was killed near her home tonight in a peculiar automobile accident.

She stopped to allow an automobile to pass and then walked ahead not noticing that it was towing another car at the end of a rope about 150 or 200 feet long. Miss Osgood stumbled over the rope and before she could regain her feet the second car was hauled over her, both wheels passing over her. She died while ambulance surgeons were in attendance. She had been injured internally.

Miss Osgood was 57 years old and was very well-to-do. She lived alone in a $100 a month apartment. She was a sister to John Cleveland Osgood, former president of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, who lives at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel and who is well-known socially, as well as in the business world.

UTAH UNIVERSITY IS AWARDED LANDS

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 28.—The Utah Supreme Court yesterday handed down a decision which gives the State University sixty square miles of saline lands, located in Tooele county, near the Nevada line.

This decision is based on the University clause of the Utah enabling act and gives to the University of Utah a permanent endowment fund of appropriately $7,000,000.

The weight of pure salt in the districts embraced in this decision is estimated to be one million two hundred and eighty thousand pounds to the square mile.

TRIP OF PROGENITOR BUFFALO DELAYED

NEW YORK, Nov. 2.—"The first American buffalo to be shipped to South America" did not make the trip. Because of the strict quarantine regulations, as a result of the prevalence of the foot and mouth disease in this country, Percy, the 600 pound bison at the Bronx Zoo, who was to have taken the trip, was sent back to his quarters yesterday after all preparations had been made even to placing him in a crate. He will probably be shipped later.

Percy was to have gone to Buenos Ayres in exchange for some birds sent here.

SAVES HIS OWN LIFE.

SANTA ROSA, Nov. 28.—While duck hunting John F. Paulson lost an arm by the accidental discharge of his shotgun. The charge shattered the right arm and Paulson saved himself from bleeding to death by clutching a broken artery between his thumb and finger until help arrived. He was taken to Sonoma and the shattered arm was amputated.

CHARLES P. HALL MAKES A COMPARISON BETWEEN LOS ANGELES AND OAKLAND

Manager of Macdonough Theater Boosts His Home City and Makes Some Interesting Observations

City on the Right Side of the Bay---Away Ahead of City of Angels Except in Hotels ---Give Us the Bankers' Hotel---Eastern Theatrical Managers Now Have Their Eyes on This City---Great Shows Are Coming Thick and Fast.

CHARLES P. HALL,
Manager of the Macdonough Theater.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 28.—Charles P. Hall, lessee and manager of the Macdonough Theater, of Oakland, Cal., has been in Los Angeles several days looking after theatrical business for his Central California theaters. Mr. Hall is one of the liveliest managers seen in this part of the country for many a day. He has been busy night and day fighting for the interests of the Macdonough Theater in Oakland and as a result the city on the right side of the bay is going to have not only every Eastern attraction that San Francisco has, but it will also have every Eastern attraction booked this year for Southern California.

Mr. Hall is known as one of the smartest in the managerial game, having had nearly forty years' experience in the business. He has been able to out-general some of his western rivals in getting bookings for the big shows in Oakland when, in some cases, they will only play three California cities, Mr. Hall, when seen by your correspondent, said:

Business Trip

"My trip to Los Angeles is purely a business one, as I am here looking after the interests of the Macdonough Theater. The season for the Eastern companies is now on and they are coming out by the northern and southern routes. I do not propose to have Los Angeles have a single first-class show that does not come to Oakland. I have been here looking over the field seeing what my theatrical friends are doing in the southland.

Good Show Town

"Los Angeles is looked upon as a good show town and as a matter of fact it ought not be as good as Oakland. I consider that the Macdonough Theater one of the best west of Chicago. We have only one thing lacking in our city regarding theatricals and that is the lack of pride on the part of many of our prominent people about patronizing the home theaters. Last year I produced at the Macdonough Theater, on as large a scale as was produced in San Francisco, every show of importance, except David Warfield. I tried to get him, but he was called East and the dates that I had with him were cancelled.

Big Shows Coming

"This was the only good show that Oakland missed during the entire season. I am sorry to say, however, that on many of the large attractions I lost money for the reason that my own people did not patronize me the way they should. In order to get some of the big companies to come to Oakland, I gave them eighty-five per cent of the gross receipts, keeping for myself only fifteen per cent, and out of this paying the rent, lights, advertising, and the cost of running the theater. You can easily imagine what profit was left for me in such an arrangement. However, I would rather not make a dollar and have Oakland recognized by these big companies. In fact, this year I have given large percentages in order to bring big attractions to the coast.

Patronize Home Theaters

"Take it this year, for instance. I have booked for the Macdonough Theater every first-class organization that comes to the Pacific coast, so it will be unnecessary for any one to visit San Francisco in order to see an Eastern show, because they can attend the performance at their own doors. I think Oakland people should consider these things and patronize their home theaters, when I can guarantee to them that the same performance with the same costumes, properties and scenery will be given in Oakland as is given in San Francisco. When our city is recognized by these big managers it is certainly up to the people to see that they are patronized at home, instead of being patronized by our people in a foreign city. This year we are holding out every inducement to keep the people from going to San Francisco to see shows that are booked for this city. I want to give you a list of a few of the big shows that are coming to the Macdonough Theater this winter, some of which will not go to Los Angeles at all. I have signed 'The Merry Widow' company, which is under the management of Henry W. Savage. It will play here one week, and every one knows it has been the musical rage in Europe and the East for the last two years. I have also closed up with the Lambardi Grand Opera Company, which will give us some excellent opera for a week.

Great Plays Enjoyed

"Maude Adams will come here with her new play. Then there is 'The Red Mill,' the big Eastern musical success, with Montgomery and Stone as the stars. 'Brewster's Millions,' the great comedy, will also be seen here. When I was in New York I saw Lillian Russell in her lively and great show, 'Wildfire,' and I signed her for a week in Oakland. She will bring an entire Eastern company with her, as well as the complete set of scenes. My boy, it will be one of the greatest shows that has played in Oakland for years. A new musical comedy with a big company, called 'A Stubborn Cinderella,' will play with me. Lew Fields in 'The Girl Behind the Counter' will also be seen at the Macdonough this winter. E. H. Sothern will be in Oakland again this year with a new play. Rose Stahl in her great and successful play, 'The Chorus Lady,' opens at the Macdonough Theater tomorrow (Monday) evening for one week. I'll give you a new hat if you don't say this is one of the finest performances you have seen in many a day, if you happen to be in Oakland when Miss Stahl opens.

Treats in Store

"Charming Ethel Barrymore will play with me again this season. Klaw & Erlanger's magnificent revival of the great drama, 'Ben Hur,' will play Oakland. It is a bigger, greater and a better performance than ever. George M. Cohan's musical comedy, 'The Talk of New York,' will also play with me. I have signed John Drew for a limited engagement in his new play, 'Jack Straw,' with which he has made such a success in the East. Nat C. Goodwin in his new play, 'Cameo Kirby,' will attract the attention of Oaklanders for a few days. I am also pleased to announce that I was able to sign Miss Billy Burke for a limited engagement in her new play, 'Love Watches.'

"The exciting drama, 'The Wolf,' will also be with us and Guy Standing and Theodore Roberts will be seen in 'The Right of Way.' Richard Carle will present his own musical comedy, 'Mary's Lamb.' I am also pleased to announce that I have booked the great actor, William Gillette, who will appear at the Macdonough in his famous play 'Samson.'

"Peer Gynt" Coming

"These are only a partial list of the attractions that I have coming to the Macdonough. I was down last evening to see Louis James and his large company at the Mason Opera House. They have been playing Richard Mansfield's great play, 'Peer Gynt' with Mr. James, of course, in the title role. They will play with me for several days and, of course, I dashed to see what kind of a performance they would give. Mr. James brings with him the grandest lot of scenery I have seen on any stage for many a day. It was used in Mansfield's original production in New York, also the costumes. His 'Peer Gynt' is a study of human life. There are five acts in the play, and five scenes. Being such a large organization, I trust that the company will do well in Oakland. I have booked them for Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, December 14, 15, and 16.

"As I stated above, this year we will have in Oakland the Lombardi Opera company, which will play for a week presenting 'Rigoletto,' 'Il Trovatore,' 'Faust,' 'Cavalleria Rusticana,' 'Pagliacci,' 'La Boheme,' 'Lucia,' and the beautiful Japanese drama 'Iris.' This company is better and stronger than ever and will bring with it a chorus of forty trained voices as well as an orchestra of forty pieces. I am going to try to play the company at popular prices and will make this a grand opera season.

We Have Great City

"I have been a pretty busy man since I have been in Los Angeles for the reason that I have been trying to out-general the managers here and get the cream of all the shows in Oakland. You know, Oakland is now on the map with every theatrical manager in the United States. It is considered one of the best show towns in the country. All that is desired in this great California city is the spirit of home loving and patronizing home theatricals. Our people go to a theater, but they must not run away with the idea that in going to San Francisco to see a performance they are going to see a better production or a better show than they will see at the Macdonough.

Makes Comparison

"I have been making some comparisons since I have been in the City of Los Angeles and I find, after a study that in the majority of things in general Oakland and Alameda counties are far away in the lead of Los Angeles and Los Angeles county. We have a better lighted city than Los Angeles.

"Why, my dear sir, a prominent New York banker told me that for size the city of Oakland was the best lighted city in the United States. 'Why, Charlie,' said he, 'Oakland is better lighted city than Los Angeles.' This banker made a further most significant statement. When I visited Oakland I looked for idle people or people looking for work and I could not find them. Everybody seemed to have all the work they wanted. I was told that if you want a man to work for you in Oakland you have to go around and hunt him up. I went to one or two theaters in Oakland and I found very small audiences, mostly women. In Los Angeles I went to matinees and found large audiences, most of them men. You can walk around the streets of Los Angeles and find thousands of idle men. That is the difference between the two towns, Charlie.'

Poor Matinee Town

"When my banking friend said that Oakland was a poor matinee town I could not help thinking that he sized it up about right, for Oakland is known throughout the United States as the worst matinee town in the country. Los Angeles has us beaten in two things and beaten badly—first in hotels, and, second, in the city hall. Give us these two things, and we will have the greatest city in the Western hemisphere without exception. I trust and hope that the Bankers' Hotel will be built, for when that is erected Oakland's future and greatness are assured, for she can never be great without a great hotel. No matter what may be said or done by any one will revolve back to this one point after visiting Los Angeles—Oakland needs a great hotel.

Have Great Harbor

"We have a great harbor in Oakland—one that makes the San Pedro harbor look like thirty cents. We have

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LAWYER IS SLAIN IN OFFICE

"HELLO, RALPH," IS SLAYER'S SALUTATION

Dead Man's Stenographer Is Witness to Murder, But Was So Frightened That She Was Powerless to Move.

PORTLAND, ORE., NOV. 28.—RALPH B. FISHER, A WELL-KNOWN PORTLAND LAWYER AND PROSECUTOR FOR THE GRIEVANCE COMMITTEE OF THE OREGON STATE BAR ASSOCIATION, WAS ASSASSINATED IN HIS OFFICE IN THE MOHAWK BUILDING, THIRD AND MORRISON STREETS, THIS AFTERNOON BY J. A. FINCH, A DISBARRED ATTORNEY. THE MURDER WAS EVIDENTLY PREMEDITATED, AND THE APPARENT MOTIVE WAS REVENGE BECAUSE OF FISHER'S PROSECUTION OF FINCH ON DISBARMENT PROCEEDINGS AND HIS RECENT REFUSAL TO SIGN A PETITION TO THE SUPREME COURT ASKING THE COURT TO SET ASIDE ITS ORDER DISBARRING FINCH FOR ONE YEAR.

Finch was disbarred for drunkenness.

Deliberate Murder

The crime was committed deliberately and coolly, and was witnessed by Miss Verna Burkhart, Fisher's stenographer. Finch entered Fisher's waiting-room and, drawing a revolver, strode to the door of the private office, which he opened without knocking.

"Hello, Ralph," he called, and as Fisher looked up, Finch fired. The bullet struck Fisher in the neck, and he attempted to rise. Finch firing a second time as he did so, and the bullet shattered the window.

Finch fired a third shot, which took effect in Fisher's temple, and he fell to the floor, dying instantly.

Sat Powerless

Miss Burkhart was too **frightened to move** and Finch, carrying the smoking weapon in his hand, turned and walked out of the office. He was **seized** in the hall and disarmed by Dr. H. F. Leonard and Lawyer C. V. Dolph, who held him until officers arrived.

"I did not kill Fisher. I was not in his office today, nor did I see him at any time today."

This is the **statement Finch made to** the police after his **arrest and while** confined at the city jail. **Finch denied** absolutely **having anything to do with** the murder or of **knowing anything** about it.

Feigning Insanity

His actions since the **crime lead to** the belief that he is **feigning insanity.**

C. H. Pigott, Finch's law **partner,** says he saw Finch at 1 o'clock, **shortly** before the murder, and **that he was** crying.

Fisher had lately **received a number** of threatening **letters, of which** the following is a sample:

"Mr. R. Fisher—Sir: **From rumors** I hear, you are to be **shot or disposed** of, and I think it my duty to **tell you** to be careful. Of course, **this may be** only talk, but the **shooting of Mr.** Heney makes the matter **worse. If it** were known I had **warned you, it** might be bad for me.—**Physician.**"

GOVERNMENNT TROOPS ARE DEFEATED

Lord Alexis, After Disaster, Orders 5,000 Rifles and Over 2,000,000 Cartridges from United States.

PORT-AU-PRINCE, Nov. 28.—**The** cause of the rebels was **given an** impetus today when a **force of their** troops fought a desperate **engagement** with a detachment of the **government** army, badly defeating **the latter. General** Celestin, the minister of **war, was** in command of the **government forces.** The government troops were **routed** and Celestin was forced to **flee, taking** refuge in the German **consulate at** Miragoane. The extent of the **casualties** has not yet been **ascertained.**

Order 5,000 Rifles

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—**Mr. Leger,** the Haytian minister, **has received** telegraphic instructions **from President** Nord Alexis of the **Haytian republic** to purchase at once **5,000** Springfield rifles and **2,000,000 rounds** of ammunition. Mr. Leger has opened negotiations with several domestic manufacturers. There is **no legal** objection to such a transaction **as it** does not involve a breach of **neutrality** laws, the present government **being** recognized as the **de jure and de** facto government.

SONS OF AMERICAN REVOLUTION COMMEMORATE MEMORIAL EVENT

THREE PROMINENT MEMBERS OF THE SONS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION.

SENATOR GEORGE C. PERKINS

A. G. CAPWELL

FRANK D. WILLIAMS

EVACUATION DAY IS CELEBRATED AT BANQUET

Relatives of Revolutionary War Soldiers and Men of Public and Business Life Meet.

In celebration of the 125th anniversary of Evacuation day the Sons of the American Revolution held a banquet last night at the St. Mark Hotel. Representative business and professional men, members of the organization from about the bay, were present, San Francisco sending a large delegation. This was the first time that the occasion has been observed in Oakland.

Patriotism, the essential spirit of the organization, predominated at the banquet board. George C. Sargent, president of the organization, presided. The speakers were Dr. E. E. Baker and H. C. Capwell.

Mr. Capwell spoke briefly of the pleasure experienced by the Oakland members of the organization having the opportunity of meeting the San Francisco members on this side of the bay on such an auspicious occasion. He urged upon those who were already members the desirability and necessity of seeking in every way possible those who were eligible to membership.

Patriotism Grows

Dr. Baker spoke on "Progressive Patriotism." He dealt with the growth of American patriotism from the evacuation of New York by the British troops under Cornwallis and the retirement of General George Washington to the Spanish-American war. He laid special stress upon the constitution of the United States as the greatest document in history. The forming of the constitution, he said, was the patriotism of self-protection. The war of 1812 was for the protection of citizenship. The war of 1851, the Mexican war, stood for the protection of property. The patriotism of personal equality and liberty was the question which dominated the war of 1862, while the last war, the Spanish-American, was the result of the patriotism that caused us to protect those not of our own race or color. The present patriotism, he said, was the spirit that calls men to serve in the solution of all problems—public or civic, the righting of wrongs and the establishment of justice and equality.

SUB-CELLAR MEETINGS TABOOED

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT HAS BARRED KNOCKERS

That Changes Are to Be Made in Navy, With Axe Swinging, Is Certain and Expected to Occur Any Day.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The story that the President was annoyed by constant discussion of the Newport conference; that the bureaus were responsible for this discussion, and that a reorganization of the bureau system was imminent, found ample corroboration in official statements made today.

It was pointed out on that date that Mr. Newberry held that if officers had anything to say they must say it to him or to the President. An official order written today corroborates that statement, and there will be no more sub-cellar conferences if Mr. Roosevelt can prevent it.

To Have Commission

The President has hit upon the idea of effecting all the desired changes by means of a commission, and it is tacitly admitted at the White House that Secretary Root has been asked to consider the question with himself as the head of the commission.

Out of this commission, which will have on it several experts, including Admiral Dewey, these changes will be the outcome.

The navy will have a general staff—a plan long ago suggested by Admiral Dewey. The general staff will control shipbuilding, personnel, details of officers, location of the fleets, size and relative importance of squadrons, granting of contracts for armor plate and ammunition, construction of guns and plans for future battleships.

The result of this will be:

Will Make Changes

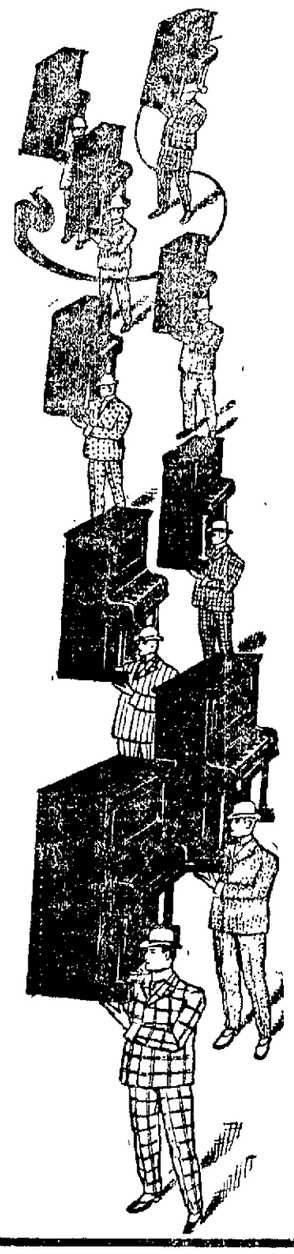
That the Bureau of Steam Engineering shall get only what space is assigned to it on board a ship; that the coal capacity shall not be regulated by the Bureau of Equipment; that the Bureau of Ordnance shall not be the sole judge of how much, how and where the armor is to be placed, or what shall be the caliber of a gun, that the Bureau of Contsruction should not be the sole judge of the details of the hull of the warship of the future.

It is admitted that the insistence of the Bureau of Steam Engineering and of the Bureaus of Construction and of Ordnance, each on its own pet theories, has made it practically impossible ever since there was a navy, to agree upon the plans of a warship that could not be criticised.

Axe to Fall

It is well-known today that the reorganization is to hit the bureau of Rear-Admiral Capps, of Construction, and Rear-Admiral Mason, of Ordnance. Root, it is said, has been appealed to because he reorganized the War Department and the State Department on the principle of consolidation. One of the patent results of the reorganization will be that Admiral Dewey's training and experience and naval knowledge shall be more felt in the navy in the future.

Piano Buying Without Precedent at the Eilers Removal Sale



Highest grades of selling at tremendous cost. If your home is to lay. Sale lasts but grand, upright and also Auto pianos reductions—in many cases far below pianoless don't fail to investigate this ree days longer.

Profit is out of all onsideration in this great removal sale. We s all be satisfied o leave that to the future. So long as we sure the bare factory cost we shall be the gainers. All new pianos are priced upon this basis. Numerous slightly used ones can be had virtually at the buyer's own price. Showing pianos is equivalent to selling them now. To see them is to buy one. What more substantial proof of the genuineness of this or than to enumerate Monday's, Tuesday's and Wednesday's sales? Nearly two carloads were sold to some of the best known and influential citizens of Alameda county.

Small Payments

You want a piano. You need a piano. You know that no home is complete without a piano. You have promised yourself to buy a piano. Why not buy it now? Even at sale prices we will give you the added inducement of small payments. A little down and a little at a time is all we ask. We are now selling new $450 pianos fully warranted, for $298. Terms, $8 monthly. Again, you can procure a beautiful high-grade piano, one of the best makers in the world, usually sold for $375, at $268. Terms, $6 monthly.

Pianos $95 and up

These are slightly used, to be sure, but in fine condition, comprising such well-known makes as Fisher, Emerson, Hallet & Davis, Hale, Steinway, Weber, Knabe, Gabler, Kimball, Smith & Barnes, and many others. If you doubt the genuineness of this proposition we earnestly request you to call at our present warerooms and investigate. We are to vacate December 1st without a cent, and this entire stock that has been left over will surely be disposed of, and if you ever anticipate purchasing a piano for your family, don't fail to take advantage of this opportunity.

OPEN EVENINGS

EILERS MUSIC CO.

1075 Clay Street

COSGRAVE'S Black Suit Sale

In order to reduce a quantity of Black Suits on hand, COSGRAVE'S will inaugurate Monday morning a special sale on all Black Suits in stock. There's nothing as select and "dressy" as a Black Tailored Suit. Tomorrow morning you may select any of COSGRAVE'S exclusive styles at special prices, with the use of a CHARGE ACCOUNT. Broadcloths, Cheviots, Serges and Fancy Weaves, all black. Some of them trimmed with a touch of satin.

FURS

These cold mornings bring the fur question up again. COSGRAVE'S never carry furs over from one season to another. Every skin selected and taken from young animals. Why not select your holiday Fur NOW, before the Christmas rush? You may have it CHARGED or reserved for you. Jackets, Neck Pieces and full sets of Mink, Lynx, Sable Fox and Ermine. Jap Mink Neck Pieces at $4.50. Jackets and full sets up to $150, with the use of a Charge Account.

We Open Charge Accounts

Cosgrave's 12th St. at Franklin OAKLAND

CHAS P. HALL COMPARES OAKLAND AND LOS ANGELES

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great banks; we have the money; we have the enterprise; we have the energy; we have the railroads; we have everything that goes to make a great city. From the Fruitvale line to the city of San Jose we have one of the greatest countries in the wide world. Its soil will raise the greatest crops in America. Every year it is as productive, if not more productive, than the year before. We do not have to send away for anything that any ground can produce. It is one of the backbones of the city of Oakland—this great farming country. Compare it with the great farming country of Los Angeles—from Los Angeles to Mount Lowe, from Los Angeles to Santa Monica, or from Los Angeles city south, can be found the greatest and finest array of cobble-stones that can be farmed in any section of country in America. It is the finest country for cobble-stones that it has been my experience to have visited during my entire life. The other day I was noticing a gang of men digging a trench in one of the main streets of Los Angeles. They produced the finest lot of cobblestone I have ever seen. The truth of the matter is that the county of Los Angeles is an unproductive country, so far as the soil is concerned, and the best they can do is to show a few orange groves, which require constant artificial irrigation. It is notorious that the only thing it has to depend upon is its crop of tourists, and I will say that this crop is an abundant one every year, and probably will be more abundant this year than ever before.

Referring to Hotels

"Referring back to hotels, I might say that the St. Mark Hotel of Oakland has been full to the doors, and they have been turning people away, and yet some people are foolish enough to say that the Bankers' Hotel, with its great accommodations and luxuries, will not succeed. Such thoughts are idle dreams, for in my opinion the Bankers' Hotel will be a big paying card from the day it opens its doors for business.

"When I was in New York a short time ago I attended a meeting of all the prominent managers of New York. These included representatives of Klaw & Erlanger, Charles Frohman, Henry W. Savage, Liebler & Co., Al Hayman, and many others. At that meeting a representative of Henry W. Savage got up and made a statement in reply to some sarcastic remark that had been made about Oakland, California. His words, as near as I can remember, were: 'Gentlemen, you will have to take Oakland into consideration in your dates for coming years.'

"Oakland is on the map in this country, and is going to be on the map. It is a great and growing city, and one of the best on the coast, and so far as Mr. Savage's attractions are concerned, I want every one to be given the longest time possible at the Macdonough Theater.'

"You can imagine how I swelled up after these remarks. They certainly had a good effect on the Eastern managers, for I was enabled thereafter to get a number of prominent shows which, up to that time, had not signed with me.

Oakland vs. Los Angeles

"Every city, in order to be a success, must have attractions. It must have places of entertainment, not only for its own people, but for its guests. It is surprising how many tourists visit Oakland every month. You can see them at the theaters and you can see them taking the little side trips. In Los Angeles they have but few places to go. They advertise strongly such places as Venice, Mount Lowe, Catalina, a trip through the city, and that is about all. As a standoff, we have in Oakland the beautiful Piedmont hills, with an unsurpassed view.

"We have right before us the great trip to Mt. Tamalpais, one of the greatest trips in the world so far as a land and marine view combined is concerned. We have the greatest university grounds in the United States at our front door, and we have one of the most interesting sights in the world, the Greek Theater, which seats 15,000 people in the open. Besides these, we have the beautiful bay of San Francisco, with its hundred and on various attractions. These things are pretty good standoffs against Los Angeles.

He Is Going Home

"I will return to Oakland tomorrow night and take up my business with a new life, for every time I go away the more I think of Oakland. It is a great city, and I want to be in the front line as one of its best boosters. I am going to do all I can to make it grow bigger and bigger on the map every year."

FIRST AUTO SHOW.

When the first automobile show was held in Madison Square Garden, in 1900, foreign cars were a very inconspicuous part of it; they were, in fact, the biggest curiosity of the affair and there was a loan exhibit of privately owned imported cars. At the next few shows, also, the European cars played a very important part, although the annual affair in the Garden was then and always has been known as the national automobile show. As the American industry grew the foreign cars became yearly a less prominent feature, but the forthcoming Garden show, January 16-23, will be the first one from which the foreign car is entirely eliminated. There will be absolutely no other than American made cars at the 1909 show and for this reason it will be truly and for the first time a national and all American event.

E. C. Elson of San Francisco, who has extensive business interests in Tonopah and Goldfield, has just returned from New England, where he did considerable touring in his Autocar. He came west as far as Chicago in it, and then shipped the car the rest of the way.

COLLEGE ALUMNI TO GIVE BANQUET

MISS MABEL BROAD.
—Belle-Oudry Photo.

Graduates of the Polytechnic Business College Will Gather at Piedmont Club House.

Invitations have been issued for the initial alumni banquet to be given by the Polytechnic Business College, December 18 in the Piedmont Park Club House.

The affair will be in the form of a reunion, where members of the college who were present will meet at the reunion will be among the speakers of the evening. Enthusiasm has been aroused in the coming event, which promises to be one of the most brilliant functions in the history of the college.

The committee of arrangements consists of F. H. Dyer, Della [illegible] Mudge Bryson, L. G. Sutton and Ruby M. Ried.

RACE ENTRIES FOR MONDAY

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs, selling; three-year-olds.

2984	Silbe schwanz	107
3704	Hazelo	107
3496	Colburi	107
3626	Romanoff	110
3677	Emma G	107
3640	St. von	110
3705	*Bill Watkins	102
(3701)	Priceless Jewel	107
3640	Fane	107
3705	*Bill Myer	102
2321	Love of Gold	107

SECOND RACE—Futurity course; selling; two-year-olds.

3639	Anni Kit	100
3663	*Gus Fisher	97
3546	Manitarka	104
3616	Bishop W.	107
2872	Light Knight	99
3688	Mozart	104
3644	Ormondo	99
3688	Apto Oso	108
(3679)	Hazel	108
3688	Kissarden	101
3670	Liberal	99
3688	Lightsasy	106

THIRD RACE—One mile; selling; three-year-olds and up.

3678	Charles Green	114
3703	Be Thankful	109
3707	Carpentaria	117
3709	*Maid of Hollander	103
3689	Kelowna	117
(3689)	Aftermath	114
(3662)	*Frank Lubbock	109

FOURTH RACE—One and one-quarter miles; selling, three-year-olds and up.

(3704)	Achilades	102
3703	Military Man	110
3709	Bellmence	102
3697	Cloverland	105
2685	L. C. Ackerley	102
(3667)	Folletta	110
3697	*Nadzu	102
3631	Bolton	102
3707	Lady Alicia	107
3649	Kermit	107
3630	Huapala	102

FIFTH RACE—One mile; selling; three-year-olds and up.

3648	*Invader	109
3719	Kapu	114
3649	Carmelina	109
3703	Byronedale	114
3641	Kamsack	117
3635	May L. N.	114
3647	*Steel Blue	104

SIXTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs, purse, all ages.

3528	Tom Eaton	92
[illegible]	Twilight Queen	99
3636	Purse Rose	100
3724	Strike Out	92
(3694)	E. Neugent	100
3695	Collector Jessup	103
3706	J. C. Gore	112
3701	Royal N.	103

SANTA ANITA ENTRIES

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 28.—Entries for Santa Anita Monday, November 30:

First race, purse, maiden two-year-olds, five furlongs—Stringed Brake, Louis Stromber, Yankee Boy, The F. Crowley, Lucky Mate, Nic. L., Carman, Director, Roy T., 112, Russ Hardison, Merlano, Beeswax, Rey E. Dineto, Willowa, 107.

Second race, one mile, selling—Wolfville, Bob Ton, 98; Black Mannat, Varlette, 99, Phalanx, 103, Rice, 102, Alma Mater, Columbus, 105; Canlon, 107.

Third race, six furlongs, selling—Providence, 100; Sergettler, 107; Taylor, Joe Galtens, 105, Oberg, George, Talentosa, 11[illegible]; Proctor.

Fourth race, seven furlongs, selling—Mistress of Rolls, 102; Earl Rogers, 105; Tarn, Cobleskill, King of the Mist, Sidney E., Flaviguy, Sam Bernard, Captain Burnett, Monylina, King Leopold, 107; St. Elmwood, Hilgert, 110.

Fifth race, purse, two-year-olds, five and one-half furlongs—Great Heavens, 103; Maid of Gotham, 107; Rose Kismet, 100; Blameless, Sport Cat, Tom Reid, 110.

Sixth race, seven furlongs, selling—Buto, 102, Royal Ascot, Anona, All Alone, Esther B., Red Era, Homeless, Hasher, Bauble, Hieudeap, Arcourt, Jack Wit, 107, Ampedo, Ben Trovato, 110.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES.

D. H. McLaughlin of the H. Company has changed over the bids. Sleeper's patent to Flask tires and demountable rims.

The 1909 Autocar runabout is one of the classiest cars the company has ever turned out. The base has been lengthened to 90 inches and the horsepower by fifty per cent. The engines are equipped with Bosch magneto. The lines of the hood have changed and a single rumble seat added.

"The longest of threatening production in the automobile industry now said Benjamin Briggs, president of the Maxwell-Briscoe Company, who is just returning to California where he conducted negotiations for the creation of a fourth well-known factory. "The sun was never shining in the industry as it is now," said Mr. Briggs. "It will quite plainly take us to satisfy the requirements of the home market. When that has been done—and we are a long way from it, there is the foreign market, which will keep us busy for a long time to come. The Maxwell factories alone will market nearly 10,000 motor vehicles of all kinds during 1909. That doesn't look as though we were afraid of over-production."

It is a fact that the E. M. F. Studebaker 30 is now on the way to the coast, and will arrive early in December. The dealers throughout the country have sent in reports of actual sales to individual customers until the latest factory announcement is that 3742 cars out of the 6,000 to be produced are actually sold. This is undoubtedly a record for advance orders, and proves what the Studebaker name means in making people not only willing, but eager, to buy a car they have not seen.

According to traveling men representing trade journals, who are allowed to get pretty near the truth of the situation, the prosperity of the automobile industry evidenced at the factories is astounding. Plants are being enlarged and outputs increased almost generally. This is particularly true in the middle west, which is continually forging ahead of the east. The optimism appears to be without exception and there is no lack of confidence, but what there will be enough of a demand to exhaust the supply in all lines of cars from the lowest to the highest priced ones.

The palmist has no use for a man who is afraid to show his hand.

SS MONEY OR BOOTH CREDITORS

VARYING EFFECT OF JUDICIAL DECREES

Claim of Employes for Wages Must Be Paid Before Rights of the Receiver Will Be Recognized.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Official court announcements regarding the affairs of A. Booth & Co. yesterday first spread joy and then sorrow among the creditors, and at the close of the day there was still considerable uncertainty about the proposed plan of reorganization.

The jubilation was caused by a decree of Judge Kohlsaat directing the Central Trust Company to turn over to Receiver W. J. Chalmers $35,000, which the Girard National Bank of Philadelphia had tied up in State court proceedings. That sum would have swelled the assets of the insolvent concern.

Oregon Decision

But the good news was soon offset by an announcement from a court in Oregon that $24,000 due employes of a subsidiary concern would have to be paid before that court would recognize the rights of Receiver Chalmers. That means the creditors are only $11,000 ahead.

The Oregon court's ultimatum was received by the committee of bankers in session at the office of E. A. Hamill, president of the Corn Exchange National Bank.

The $24,000 claim in the Oregon court is principally for wages due fishermen. Attorneys for the Booths may contest that court's stand on the ground that the receiver has prior rights, and those employes will be treated the same as other creditors.

Kohlsaat's Decision

Judge Kohlsaat's decision was regarded as a big victory for the creditors. When the petition in bankruptcy was filed on September 10 the Booths had about $50,000 on deposit in the Central Trust Company's bank, and the Philadelphia bank garnisheed $35,000 of it through attachment proceedings. As the receiver was appointed that afternoon and the attachment was not filed until later, Judge Kohlsaat decided it was merely a question of priority.

BRITAIN TO AID TURKS, HE SAYS

London Officially Denies It Has Promised to Help in Event of War.

BUDAPEST, Nov. 28.—Nazim Bey, the representative in Paris of the Young Turks Committee, has given an interview to the Pester Lloyd, in which he says:

"We are not afraid that Austria-Hungary will declare war on Turkey. We are prepared for war, and, moreover, we have obtained from Great Britain an official guarantee against any external danger."

No Guarantee Given

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Official circles here are at a loss to understand on what Nazim Bey could base such a statement as he is alleged to have made in a Budapest newspaper. No such guaranty has been given and it is surmised that this is merely the expression of the optimistic impression created on an eastern imagination by the presence of the British fleet in the Aegean Sea. It is suggested also that it may be a perversion of what Nazim Bey really said, published to support the anti-British campaign in Austria, which seeks to show that Great Britain is trying to influence Turkey to resist a settlement with Austria-Hungary.

HOLIDAY REMINDERS

Here are a few suggestions that will refreshen your mind as regards to what you will want to give for Christmas:

Jewelry	Men's Gloves	Leather Grips, etc.
Combs	Men's Handkerchiefs	Dressing Robes
Fans	Men's Hosiery	Silk Waists
Purses	Men's Umbrellas	Fancy Buckles
Fur Neck Pieces	Toilet Articles	Handkerchief Cases
Feather Boas	Silver Knives	Dolls
Handkerchiefs	Combs	Umbrellas
Shawls	Brushes	Manicure Sets, etc.
Gloves, etc.	Suit Cases	Novelty Veils

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Free of Charge During the Holidays

ALL Silk Mufflers bought here are stamped free of charge; all umbrellas bought here are engraved free of charge; all leather goods bought here are stamped in gold or silver free of charge; all silverware bought here is engraved free of charge; all goods purchased in our Fancy Goods Department are put up in fancy boxes free of charge.

Twenty-two Buying Days Until Christmas

Each day brings nearer the thought, what shall we give for Christmas? Our stock is so complete, with such a splendid variety of Holiday Goods, that the worry, inconvenience and time of selecting holiday gifts may be avoided by coming to Abrahamsons'. In a new store, complete with new stock, a system that is second to none in the country, makes it easy for holiday shopping here. Each one of our floors presents a greater and far more superior line of Holiday Goods than ever before.

We invite you to make this as your holiday store; merely get acquainted with what we have. We do not request you to buy. There are articles for everyone in the household in this big holiday store of Abrahamsons'.

Come tomorrow and save time.

Any article that you see here we shall reserve if a deposit is made on the same until a few days before Christmas.

25 Per Cent Discount on Suits

Twenty-five per cent discount on all our High Grade Tailor Suits that retail from $20.00 to $150.00, except three special lines that have been received within the last two weeks and are priced at about one-half of their value. We would advise coming early, as this great reduction will mean rapid selling.

From Our Doll Department

As a special introduction to our new Doll Department, we have decided to mark prices on our real Kestner Dolls one-fourth to one-third less than regular value, so that everyone who is desirous of giving a beautiful present for Christmas can secure one of these dolls.

Come tomorrow and select a doll, pay a deposit on it and we shall keep the article for you.

Full-jointed undressed Kestner Dolls, with sleeping eyes $1.35 to $9.00.

Jointed Dressed Kestner Dolls, with sleeping eyes from 95c to $10.00.

Any article that you see here we shall reserve if a deposit is made on the same until a few days before Christmas.

A Sale of Silks at 65c Yard

Monday we place on sale a splendid line of silks at 65c a yard. These goods come right in the heart of the season and are the best values that you can possibly obtain.

See our variety and be convinced that these are exceptionally good values. See our window display.

Monday morning we place the entire line on sale at 65c a yard.

Umbrellas for Holiday Gifts

We are featuring in this department five special items which will make splendid Holiday Gifts.

$4.50 and $5.00 ladies' and men's fine quality Umbrellas, sterling silver and gold filled handles; best frame; full guaranteed, $2.48.

$6.00, $7.00 and $8.50 ladies' and men's Umbrellas, best covering, best frames, handles of ivory, pearl, staghorn, sterling trimmed; $4.95.

$10.00, $12.50 and $15.00 ladies' and men's Umbrellas, best guaranteed silk, imported frames, exquisite handles in gold filled and sterling; $6.95.

$2.50 and $3.00 children's Umbrellas, novel handles; three sizes, $1.95.

Suit Case Umbrellas, best made; two grades; special $2.45, $4.25.

First Showing Tomorrow

You can find here complete assortments of Silverware, such as Sterling Silver Manicure Articles, Desk Pieces, Comb and Brush Sets, Clothes and Hat Brushes, Bonnet Brushes, Toilet and Manicure Sets, Jewel Boxes, Art Desk Accessories, and in fact, everything in high-class Silverware; also Gold Filled Jewelry of all sorts. Nothing but the best goods all fully guaranteed.

Holiday Jewelry and Silverware

HOLIDAY SUGGESTIONS FROM OUR HANDKERCHIEF DEPARTMENT

This year we have overdone our previous efforts in securing the finest Handkerchiefs direct from their own clime. Belfast, Ireland; St. Gall, Switzerland; Madeira, Ardennes, France, Appenzall, Brussels, Belgium; Armenia, and, in fact, every lace and embroidery handkerchief country in the world, has contributed to our vast collection. Of course you will want to make your selection of holiday handkerchiefs where the assortments are largest and most complete. That means Abrahamsons'. Make a point to see these lines tomorrow.

Armenian Hand-made Handkerchiefs, 50c, 75c, $1.00 to $3.50 each.

Madeira Hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs, 50c, 75c to $2.50 each.

Ardennes French Hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs, 25c, 35c, 50c to $2.00 each.

Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, 15c, 20c, 25c to 75c each.

Brussels Lace Hand-made Handkerchiefs, 75c, $1.00, $1.50 to $22.50 each.

Appenzell Hand-embroidered Handkerchiefs, $1.50 to $5.00 each.

Ladies' initial Handkerchiefs, 75c to $3.00 box.

Men's Initial Handkerchiefs, 75c to $3.00 box.

Children's Fancy Boxes, 25c, 35c box.

Complete lines of Plain Linen in Ladies' and Men's Handkerchiefs at 15c, 20c, 25c to 75c each.

See window display for special values.

Our New Art Department

See our splendid variety of Battenberg cloth; plain and ribbed drawn-work centers, antique lace, Cluny lace goods, drawn-work cloths, scalfs and figures, French lace goods. A beautiful line to select for Christmas presents from.

Don't fail to look over our hand-embroidered Pillow Samples line from the New York Art Needle Embroidery Works. No two alike. Price about half less their regular prices.

Holiday Suggestions

A suitable Christmas gift, one that will be appreciated and not only that, but one that is useful.

A nice silk covered lamb's wool filled Comforter. They are light and warm. We have a large selection to select from. They range from $8.50 to $20.00 each. Call and let us show them to you.

A Special Bed Value—Honey Comb Bed Spread; good $1.75 value; 2¾x2½ yards. Monday only, each $1.25

Linens for the Holidays

Our Christmas stock of Table Linen Sets is now complete. We have cloths in all the staple, as well as extra wide and long sizes, with napkins to match, in both round and square patterns. Prices from $6.00 to $20.00 the set.

Extra Special—22x22-inch Bleached Linen Dinner Napkins in nice assortment of patterns; regular $2.50 value—Special price, dozen..... $1.79

TOOK AN INNOCENT MAN FOR BIG ROBBERY

Ernest C. Devine Not the Man Who Stole Bonds Valued at $50,000 in Boston.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Ernest C. Devine, although identified by A. B. Turner and two of the latter's clerks as the man who secured $50,000 worth of bonds from Turner's firm in Boston, is not the guilty person. That Devine was the victim of a remarkable case of mistaken identity was admitted in court today by Assistant State's Attorney Barnett, who declared that Devine had established an unshakable alibi.

Judge McSurley said he would continue the case one week to allow the Governor of Massachusetts to withdraw his application for extradition and that the defendant would then be discharged.

Turner was "morally certain" but positive in his identification of Devine and he brought two of his employes here from Boston to make certain. They said no mistake had been made but the prisoner was able to show that he was in Chicago when the swindle in Boston was perpetrated.

ALAMEDA TO HAVE A NEW THEATER

Structure Will Be Erected on Park Street, Near Santa Clara Ave., Alameda.

ALAMEDA, Nov. 28.—It is reported that Con O'Donnell, a wealthy Nevada miner, who came to Alameda about a year ago to make his home here, purchasing several pieces of residence and business property, will build a modern theater on Park street, just north of the Tucker block, on the property O'Donnell purchased from the University of California Regents recently. The property formerly was occupied by a number of small and old wooden buildings. They were so shaken up by the earthquake of 1906 that they were torn down and removed.

The site is one of the most valuable ones for business purposes in the entire city, being but a few feet north of Santa Clara avenue. The building will have stores on the ground floor, with a modern playhouse above, and at the rear, which will seat 1000 persons. The acoustic properties will be carefully looked after and the fittings and structure will be first-class in every detail.

The Knights of Pythias are planning to build a temporary structure on the rear of the lot at the northeast corner of Oak street and San Antonio avenue. The lodge owns a deep lot at this location, a portion of the lot being covered with income-earning buildings. The portion to be covered with the new structure is vacant. At a later time the lodge will erect a modern business block on the site.

The new Adelphian building is nearing completion and the December union meeting of the club will be held in the building, the first meeting to be held in the new hall.

The foundation work is completed for the new $60,000 church the congregation of the First Methodist Church is building at Central avenue and Oak street.

SAN LEANDRO NOTES HAS NEW INDUSTRY

SAN LEANDRO, Nov. 28.—The coming of the winter season has not stopped the lively in the real estate market, which has been lively in this place all fall. The inquiry for home sites and small lots has resulted in many sales and a large number of new houses are being erected within the town limits. This is an indication of the growth of the place.

Finishment of a new lumber yard in the business center during the last week.

FORESTERS PLAN A FRATERNAL DANCE

HAYWARD, Nov. 28.—The Banner Club of Court Hayward, F. of A., will give a ball on Saturday evening, December 12, in Native Sons' hall. The popular fraternal order is assured of the support of a host of friends at this affair. Joseph H. Silver will officiate as floor manager.

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FOR THE BABY

Bassinettes from	$3.00	to	$15.00
Cribs from	$8.00	to	$25.00
Go-Carts from	$2.50	to	$35.00
Baby Trunks from	$5.00	to	$ 7.50
Doll Cabs from	$2.00	to	$5.00
Rockers from	$2.25	to	$ 5.00

FOR THE HOME

Wood Baskets	$ 2.25	to	$ 4.50
Hampers	$ 2.50	to	$ 5.00
Work Baskets	$ 1.50	to	$ 4.50
Chairs and Rockers	$ 3.00	to	$20.00
Tables	$ 3.00	to	$25.00
Couches	$10.00	to	$22.50
Davenports	$12.50	to	$40.00
Settees	$12.00	to	$25.00

The above articles are made in our own workshops by skilled craftsmen, using materials imported from the Orient, and are priced so as to be within the reach of every one. A gift that will last for years and bring rest, comfort and fond remembrances daily. Make your selection now, simply pay a small deposit and the articles selected will be delivered when you want them.

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This is your opportunity. It costs nothing to try. There is no fee to pay. The rules are simple and beneficial to all that answer.

Can You Solve it?

Each person sending a correct solution will be entitled to an award and a share in the distribution of prizes.

Our Mathematical Puzzle

RULES OF THE CONTEST

Use only the numbers 1-2-3-4-5-6-7. All of these numbers can be used twice and three of them can be used three times. Arrange the numbers in the 17 rings so that the total will be 71.

All answers to compete for one of the large prizes will be considered as to the time it is mailed at your nearest postoffice.

All answers will be numbered as received until the last night at 6 o'clock, when they will be opened by the judges, representatives of the daily papers.

Contest closes December 1, 1903. Every person sending an answer will be notified by mail as to the award on December 1, 1903.

Prizes to be awarded as follows:

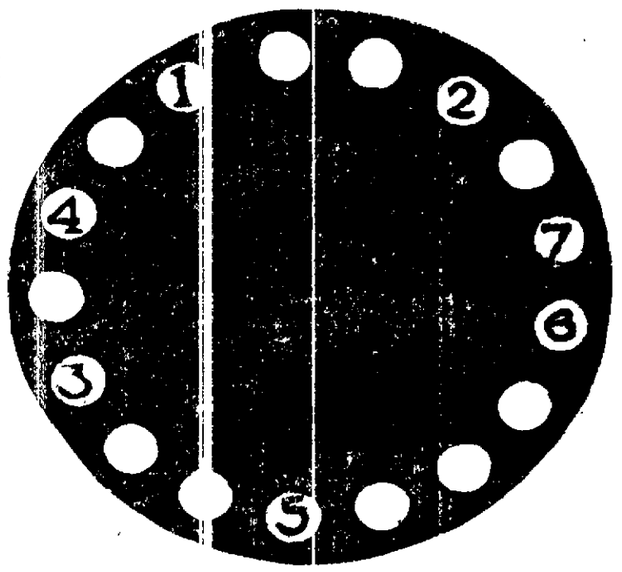
FIRST PRIZE—$500, KING PIANO will be awarded absolutely free to the person sending in the first correct solution of the mathematical ring puzzle.

SECOND PRIZE—For nearest answer from in the city one piano manufacturer's bond for $300, and talking machine and one dozen records.

THIRD PRIZE—Next nearest solution from out of the city, piano manufacturer's bond for $200, talking machine and one dozen records.

FOURTH PRIZE—$100 bond and $50 Stradivarius violin outfit.

Other prizes, consisting of piano manufacturers' bonds of denomination of $100, $90, $75, $50 and $25, will be awarded in groups of 10 to the next correct answer, making a grand total of $1,000, together with a beautiful souvenir.



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The giving away of this large amount in prizes is made possible only through the assistance and co-operation of the large and wealthy factories we have so long represented in this section, and by special arrangements, we and the piano manufacturers, believing that the large amount of money spent in magazine advertising would be greatly appreciated if divided among piano purchasers, they have AGREED TO ALLOW US THE LARGE AMOUNT, as stated above. The success of our former contest is a guarantee of our absolute fairness to all who enter. We fully expect this to be the greatest of all.

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NEWS OF BERKELEY, ALAMEDA

WEST BERKELEY RESIDENTS EAGER FOR NEW SERVICE

Adopt Resolutions Asking That S. P. Co. Be Given Franchise

BERKELEY Nov 28—The Southern Pacific Railway is apparently to have easy going in its application for franchises for its new loop system as far as the West Berkeley section is concerned One of the franchises the Harriman corporation seeks is over Ninth street, from the Emeryville line through the West end to Ocean View and thus far no opposition is called to it has materialized

At a meeting of the Citizens and Taxpayers League last night speeches in favor of the coming of the new lines were made by Charles H Spencer Dr H O Brink, Frank A Miles Paul A Schmidt Dr C Walter Cater Underwood P C Daly The league then passed the following resolutions

Adopt Resolution

"Whereas the Southern Pacific Company has applied to the Board of Trustees of Berkeley for permission to electrolize its present steam road and for franchises over certain streets as extensions and amplifications of such present service and

Whereas the Board of Trustees deemed it in its wisdom to declare its intention of the such franchises for sale to the highest bidder

Now therefore be it resolved by the citizens of the Seventh ward of Berkeley in mass meeting assembled that we do approve of the action of said Board in this regard and in particular do we approve of the action of Trustee W J Schmidt the member from the Seventh ward in voting for the resolution offering such franchises for sale at the expiration of the earnest hope that such franchises will be sold to the highest bidder as advertised so that the proposed increase in service in Berkeley may be obtained

Carita Chapter Plans to Hold Big Installation of Officers

ALAMEDA, Nov 28—Carita Chapter No. 115, O E S, will hold its installation of officers next Wednesday evening December 2 at 8 o'clock at Masonic Hall The ceremony is a most interesting one and very entertaining The reception committee consists of Isabell Clark Etta F Weyer Florence B Fox Elizabeth M Sheehan, and Laura McQuesten

The officers to be installed are worthy matron, Allie H Jonas worthy patron, George Henry Fox associate matron, Florence Johnson secretary Susie C Sturtevant treasurer Theresa J Strong conductress Elizabeth W Coombs associate conductress Alice C Batstow Adah Alma M Hoskin Ruth Cora M Bryant, Esther, Ida M Weaver Martha Emilie A Hammond Flecta Bessie W Young chaplain Benjamin S McFarland marshal Catherine C Hammond organist Inez B Rowe warder Augusta H Williams, sentinel, Henry P Decker

The officers will be installed by Henry Miller Hammond and the grand marshal is Adelaine Lancaster

CHOIR TO GIVE HARVEST CANTATA

BERKELEY Nov 28—The choir of the First Presbyterian church will render a short harvest cantata by H Clough Leighter and an anthem by J Maker at the services tomorrow evening The full musical program will be Offertory in honor of St Cecilia (Bottiste) Concert transcription of "Jerusalem the Golden (Dr Spark) March Pontificale (Widor) soloists Miss Alice Andrews soprano Mrs C V Meeker contralto Dr Robert Dodsworth tenor Walter Bundinger baritone Warren D Allen organist W C Stadtfield director

CALL OUT FIREMAN AND THEN RUN AWAY

BERKELEY Nov 28—An alarm of fire was turned in last evening from box 7 at Third and Camelia streets The West Berkeley hose company responded but found that the alarm had been turned in by a number of playful inclined boys Policemen were detailed to look for the miscreants but they succeeded in making their escape This is the third time within two weeks that false alarms have been turned in from West Berkeley boxes and the police are inclined to believe that the same persons are responsible for all

Many rainy days ahead of us now.

Will your overcoat stand the test of keeping its shape?

If made by "Hahn," it will.

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STOLE TO KEEP WIFE FROM STARVING

Noted Bicycle Thief Tells the Judge That It Was Either Rob or Go Without Eating.

BERKELEY, Nov 28—With tears streaming down his face Fred Strong arrested for bicycle thefts told Justice of the Peace Edgar this afternoon that he had resorted to crime in order to pay the rent of his wife and babies from Indianapolis to San Francisco

Strong who is 17 years of age is wanted by the Oakland and Berkeley police on at least two more bicycle larcenies He was arrested in San Francisco a few days ago and at the request of the Berkeley officers where a number of missing wheels could be located He says that until a year ago he was a grade foreman in Chicago but with the panic was thrown out of work and came to California to better his fortunes

"It was either steal or let my wife and children starve" said Strong The accused man exhibit d an honorable discharge from the army and claimed he had never heretofore been accused of crime His case was turned over to the probation officer

Berkeley Society

BERKELEY Nov 28—Coolidge Fitz and his pretty fiancee Miss Eldine Brushier were the complimented guests this evening at an elaborately appointed dinner party given with Albert Hamder presiding as host The occasion added a double splendor in that it was a celebration of the birthday of the host and his twin sister Miss Cecilia of Alameda Covers for the score or so of guests were laid at the home of Mrs W H Gibbons in Berkeley The betrothal of Miss Brushier and Fitz was recently announced at a dinner party presided over by Mrs Fitz at the family home in Mill Valley where Miss Brushier resides with her parents The wedding date has not been publicly announced but it is an open secret among the friends of the young couple that the engagement will not be a long one

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One of the interesting weddings of the early spring will be that of Miss Wendell Hunter and Miss Louise Kemp, which has been indefinitely for the month of April Miss Kemp is a talented young musician who is well known in local musical circles She is the daughter of Mr and Mrs A Kemp Hunter is a graduate of the university and a member of the Theta Delta Chi fraternity He is associated with his father D W Hunter in business The engagement was announced several weeks ago A series of complimentary affairs are to be given in Miss Kemp honor before her marriage

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Mrs F A Laupp is to be hostess on Monday to the members of one of the Monday card clubs where bridge is always the diversion for the hour Three tables of players make up the group of friends who meet for the Monday sessions Mrs Laupp is to entertain at her home in Haste street

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Mr and Mrs Ralph A Brown and daughter went down to Del Monte to spend the Thanksgiving holidays

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The marriage of Miss Geraldine C Rowe daughter of Mr H Rowe and Edgar L Sleeth of Los Angeles will be solemnized Tuesday evening December 1 at 8 o'clock at the home of the bride in University terrace Rev W E Hodgkin of St Marks Episcopal Church will perform the ceremony

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Miss Celia M Laughlin from the Dominican College in San Rafael is the guest of Miss Celia A White at her home in Fulton street Miss Laughlin is spending the Thanksgiving vacation with her hostess She was the guest of honor at a recitals appointed luncheon covers for which were laid yesterday at the home of Miss Mildred Mation in Alameda The guests included a dozen girls from the convent who are spending the vacation days in the bay region Later in the afternoon the girls were entertained by Mrs H L Stewart at a theater party They crossed the bay and enjoyed the Clara Bow play being produced in San Francisco Following the theater Mrs Stewart was host at supper

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Miss Carey Kelsey of Santa Cruz is the guest of Mr and Mrs H E Glessner at their home in Belmont avenue Miss Kelsey is one of the most beautiful and popular girls in the social set of Santa Cruz and during her visit in Berkeley has been the inspiration of a number of very delightful affairs She will make but a short visit this time with her sister returning to Santa Cruz early next week

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Miss Cecilia Skinner is visiting at her home in this city coming up Wednesday evening from Modesto and returning tomorrow Miss Skinner is a daughter of Mrs H J Skinner

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An event of importance in social and musical circles this evening was the recital to be given by Miss Elsa von Mundorschell at the First Unitarian Church The careers of this artistic boy have been followed more intently than that of this talented girl who just recently returned from three years of study abroad in Berlin Miss von Mundorschell is a pupil instructor from Mme Lea Cereno and Herr Emilino in Leipsig

WILL GIVE SHOW TO BUY BANNER

HAYWARD Nov 28 Extensive preparations are being made for a big show by the local Elks to be given Wednesday evening December 6 at the Orpheum in Bolderen It will be the regular moving picture show with vaudeville numbers will be added to the program There will be illustrated songs by Herbert Mays a few stunts by Hal Angus and a cornet solo by Frank Hanly of Oakland The proceeds from the entertainment will be used to purchase a banner for the local lodge

CONGRESSMAN KNOWLAND TO LEAVE FOR CAPITOL

ALAMEDA Nov 28 Congressman Joseph Knowland Mrs Knowland and their son Joe will leave for Washington the latter part of the coming session of Congress He will take his children with him and they will live in Washington during the Congressional session returning with their father to California when Congress adjourns

Honor Society Will Hold Function

SPENCER BRUSH.

MEREDITH PARKER

CARY TROY.

ALAMEDA Nov 28—The senior honor society of Musk and Book having chapters at Stockton Sacramento Oakland and Alameda is planning one of the most elaborate functions for just before the Christmas holidays The affair is in the nature of a dance which will be held in Mills Hall in Oakland on the evening of December 12

A large number of invitations will be sent out for the dance and members of the four chapters will strive to spare no expense to make the evening perfect in every detail

The members of the local chapter of Musk and Book are Meredith Parker Paul Schofield Alfred Goldenman Spencer Brush Harry Kassenbaum Charles Baum and Cary Troy

SOLD WOMEN LIQUOR; FINED $20 BY COURT

ALAMEDA Nov 28 Dan Carlson bartender for the Eighteenth street joint who was caught red handed by having served liquor to women in a back room of the place and who had entered a plea of not guilty changed his plea to guilty this morning and was fined $ 9 by Justice of the Peace Johnson

COLLEGE TOWN ELKS TO MEET THEIR RULER

BERKELEY Nov 28 The will be a [illegible] Elks at the lodge on Sunday afternoon November [illegible] when the grand exalted ruler Rush L Holland and party, who will pay the lodge an official visit

HUNGER TURNS BOYS BACK HOME

Six Fruitvale Youths Start Out to Find Adventure, But Lack of Food Causes Them to Change Their Minds.

FRUITVALE Nov 28 After having been gone since Wednesday night six Fruitvale boys returned to their homes in Fruitvale today in Santa Clara where the lad got as far on their journey to the Mecca of their hopes Frank Greer Robert Williams Oscar Greer Harry Gilmore and Jimmy Forsyth the youngest of the six first started for the north Wednesday night with the boys claiming they had been lured away by a man who had promised them work in the Alameda and Fruitvale shipyards According to his story the boys had climbed aboard a freight train at South Fruitvale Wednesday night after telling their parents they were going down town for a show They got off at Santa Clara and for two days was in the vicinity in search of work Disappointed in the result from lack of food the lad decided to return home and made their way back home

As soon as his missing son was located Alph Forsyth in a prominent Fruitvale merchant instituted a search for his son Robert Greer and Harry Alviso march where the boys were supposed to have gone when they left Fruitvale Mr Forsyth is only 13 years of age and his mother was in a wild grief at his loss for fear he had met with foul play Mr Forsyth contributed as one of the main reasons for his leaving home the fact that he was being forced to go to school and he was tired of the run away and he says he will not do it

Jimmy Forsyth the youngest of the six first started for the north early Wednesday night with the Alviso lad but later admitted that this was a ruse According to his story the boys had climbed aboard a freight train at South Fruitvale at about 7 o'clock Wednesday night after telling their parents they were going down town for a show They got off at Santa Clara and for two days was in the vicinity in search of work Disappointed in the result from lack of food the lad decided to return home and made their way back home

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BERKELEY VOTERS TO DECIDE ON ORIGINAL PACKAGE PLAN

Conflicting Interests, In rafting of New Charter, Compromise

BERKELEY Nov 28 It is generally stated that the new charter for Berkeley will contain the option of the sale in original packages After weeks of discussion and several hours spent in the council chamber the council last night decided on the option by a majority of one vote The question of the option was taken up at the request of the advocates of the option and the opponents of the option gathered in force to hear the decision

Says Plan Is Fair

The west and south end delegation and the union labor would unite the dry ones of the south and west end with the prohibition element which would easily defeat the charter if it should be decided to propose the original package plan as a compromise Mr Johnson of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce said that it will be a test of popular sentiment as to whether or not the city is ready for the option

The original package plan will probably be strongly opposed by Attorney R A Beasly one of the framers of the charter Mr Beasly is against the option on the ground that it will be a step in the direction of the abolishment of the saloon

The option which is now in force in West Berkeley Another feature which is strongly by Town and will be taken up by the opponents

Thinks Only Way

The option is believed that it is the only way out of the present situation The question of the option has been decided by compromise by permitting the voters to decide for themselves Personally I believe that the option is the best way out of the present situation It will put our business men outside the mile limit on the same footing as the Oakland merchants in the sale of liquor That was the plan of the charter as we found it drafted and I believe there is no other possible way out It has been provided for local option I believe that the charter would have been defeated We now propose to take a middle course between the extremists It will save to unit Berkeley I believe The west and the east ends are coming to see that their interests are nearly alike and that with the growth of the city their interests are tending toward a common basis

Will Pass, He Says

I believe that the sale of liquor in original packages will meet with a majority vote It is my belief the charter will not be endangered because the option will be offered in a separate clause and will not be a part of the charter proper All the business men of Berkeley want more harmony The prohibitionists will be made to concede a point, the open saloon advocates will be made to concede a little and the compromise will save at least the virtue of shutting off further controversy over a matter that has caused much hard feeling

HALF-HOUR OF MUSIC AT HEARST GREEK THEATER

BERKELEY Nov 28—The half-hour recital in the Hearst Greek Theater tomorrow afternoon will be given by Sinia B Wille formerly of Pittsburg, contralto soloist in the First Methodist church in Oakland Miss Elizabeth Simpson will act as accompanist The program follows "Chloe Mia" from Tosti Bemberg "Dawn" Allisten; Scott Lehmeyers Stream," Cottenet Sorel "Dawn" Allisten; Dessoff Clough Leighter recitative "Wild Swelling Heart" and aria Soft Southern Breeze" Woodforde Finden Four Indian Love Lyrics."

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FRUITVALE, MELROSE AND SUBURBS

SANITARY RULES TO BE STRICTLY ENFORCED

Board Issues a Warm Statement in Which Several Elmhurst Residents Are Roasted.

ELMHURST Nov 28—Philip Tilly president of the Elmhurst Sanitary Board, has written an announcement addressed to taxpayers of the district and more particularly to those who have come under the ban of the sanitary inspector. Following is the announcement:

"We believe an explanation is due the taxpayers of the Elmhurst sanitary district of which the money to be collected upon to pay its bills spent. It is to be noted that there is a small percentage that actually know what the sanitary tax is for. Our meetings and books are always open. We have been invited to attend and take part.

"Our principal visitors are those who come under the ban of the sanitary inspector and have complaints to put the places in sanitary condition. They call on the board for redress on account of the fact that plans need improvement dissolve the board. We sympathize with any one who from the very nature restrictions imposed do not feel as though they should be asked to comply with them.

"Sanitary conditions will be enforced within reasonable bounds despite the howls of those opposed.

"The money you are now paying in taxes goes to pay the engineer of the district the attorney the inspector the assessor and the clerk. If you want more detailed statement come and attend a meeting.

"We have quite a few anonymous letters which we find in a number of cases are prompted by little spite. What there is a place in this sanitary condition we want to know it and appreciate having out at meeting called for.

"Any one desirous of knowing what has been done or is doing in get the desired information from J. O. Curtis the inspector. We have been advised that we are the servants of the people. We are aware of the fact and trust that the people will not be unreasonable task masters.

"We have the hearty support and cooperation of the with the interest of the district at heart. There is a number who through misinformation being misrepresented to them got confused over the issue. The engineer is again at work with the district in methods regarding the assessment of tax. A sanitary district has been established and it will remain despite the whipping of a few without standing on respect in the community. We ask that those not familiar with the ordinances of the board attend out meetings and co-operate with us.

"PHILIP TILLY
"President of the Sanitary Board."

New Santa Fe Train Between Oakland and Oakdale.

The Santa Fe is now operating a new train between Oakland San Francisco and Oakdale making direct connection at Oakdale for points on the Sierra Railway.

There is operated in this train a through car to Tuolumne. Train leaves Oakland 9.00 a m San Francisco 9.45 a m and arrives at Oakdale at 2.1[illegible] p m Jamestown 4.40 p m and Tuolumne 5.1[illegible] p m.

Returning it leaves Tuolumne 7.3[illegible] a m Jamestown 8.45 a m and arrives at Oakland 2.30 p m, San Francisco 2.[illegible]0 p m. This is the only through car service to points on the Sierra Railway.

ALAMEDA HAVING TROUBLE WITH ITS BILLBOARD TAX

Advertising Firms Claim It Is Illegal

ALAMEDA Nov 28—As a result of the efforts of the city attorney to enforce the provisions of the billboard ordinance the big billboard posting firm of Varney & Green has agreed to pay a license of $20 a month to the municipality pending the disposition of a suit now in court to determine whether a city has the legal power to compel the payment of a license tax on billboards. The firm had been notified that if it failed to comply with the ordinance that measures would be taken to cause the arrest of the members of the company.

According to the terms of the bill board ordinance the license tax is based with regard to the space used for advertising purposes. If Varney & Green were required to pay according to the wall space that they have in Alameda their license tax would be far more than $20 a month.

Hold Law Illegal

The representatives of the firm hold that the charge according to area was excessive and that the flat rate of $20 a month is compromise one, and is only temporary. Should it be decided by the court that a city has the right to levy a license tax on billboards the firm engaged in that business and using walls in Alameda for their purposes will have to pay in accordance with the terms of the present ordinance, or discontinue doing business here.

City Attorney M. W. Simpson communicated recently with J. Buck Ryan head of the tax-paying department of the Southern Pacific Company and notified him that under the advertising ordinance his company would have to pay $20 a month for every car operated in Alameda and in which advertising matter was displayed.

Read Letter Wrong

Ryan evidently read the letter of the City Attorney wrong, for he replied addressing his answer to the City Attorney of Oakland. In the communication Ryan said that he had paid the car advertising license tax in that city. From the way in which the letter read the City Attorney judges that when Ryan replies another letter from the City Attorney of Alameda that he will go matter correctly and will order that the local car license tax be paid.

The Oakland Tract on Company is required under the advertising ordinance to pay $10 a year for each car in which advertising matter is displayed.

CARNEGIE GIVES LIBRARY $2000

Millionaire Donates Money to Complete the Building Given to San Leandro.

SAN LEANDRO Nov 28 Andrew Carnegie has donated $2000 more to the library fund. The news was received Thanksgiving day with a letter from the philanthropist to the library trustees and will be utilized in helping the building to a speedy completion.

Application for $5,000 additional to the $10,000 which had already been donated by Carnegie was made sometime ago as not enough capital was available to properly complete the library including the heating apparatus electric wiring and fixtures.

It is expected the contractor Anderson will be ready to turn over the completed building to the library trustees within two weeks.

CITY TAXES IN ISLE CITY ARE DUE MONDAY

ALAMEDA Nov 28—Alameda city taxes will be delinquent after 6 o'clock Monday night. There will be no late hour extension the tax-paying period ending promptly at 6 o'clock. Alameda city's delinquent list will be very light this year the tax money having poured in in unprecedented volume throughout the time allotted. City taxes like state and county taxes, are payable in two installments only the first installment comprising half the total tax being due now.

CHAUFFEUR JAILED

ALAMEDA, Nov 28—A. W. Jones chauffeur for F. W. Van Sicklen was arrested yesterday by Patrolman Anderson for violating the speed ordinance. Jones was released on $40 bail.

MAYOR'S BROTHER DIES IN BERKELEY

John L. Ferrier Passes Away at Home in College Town After Eventful Career.

BERKELEY Nov 28 John L. Ferrier the proprietor of a cigar [illegible] of Plants [illegible] died this afternoon at his home 2[illegible] Channing way. Ferrier was 2[illegible] years of age and a native of Guelph Ontario Canada. He is survived by [illegible] sons Joseph A. and William S. Ferrier and four daughters Magdalen Ferrier Mrs. I. W. Lo[illegible] Mrs. J. P. Edwards and Mrs. F. A. Mitchell. The funeral services will be held Monday morning.

Alameda Society

ALAMEDA Nov 28 Charles Sullivan invited about [illegible] of his young friends to the Sullivan home on Paru to this evening. The Sullivan [illegible] for hospitality and the young people had an enjoyable merry time this evening. Among those who were entertained are Miss Bessie Bros Misses [illegible] Mel[illegible] Miss Ruth Soule Mel. Marquart Peters Miss Jella Letson Charles Murphy Louis Luger Harry Kassebaum Harry Erickson and others.

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The Omega Nu sorority met this afternoon at the home of Miss Muriel Taylor. After an enthusiastic business meeting the hostess served refreshments.

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The Scroll and Key society will meet Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Lucy Standlee. The officers will consider details regarding an initiation to be held in the near future.

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Miss Emma Lemcke [illegible] a large number of her friends to a very delightful affair given in honor of Mrs. Edith White and Mr. Ziegenfuss who are to depart for Europe in January. The affair will take place on the afternoon of December [illegible] at Miss Lemcke's home at 1501 Santa Clara avenue and will include the most intimate friends of the guests of honor. Miss White and Mr. Ziegenfuss will go abroad with Mrs. White and Miss Helen White after the nuptials and the party will make a six months tour of the Old World.

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Miss Vera Hamilton who came from Pittsburg to be maid of honor for Miss Lelia Rice at her recent marriage is spending a few days in San Jose as the guest of a former classmate at Vassar College. Miss Hamilton will return to her home in the East about the middle of December. Hamilton to her departure she will spend a portion of her time with her grandmother Mrs. George C. Hull who has been seriously ill for the past few weeks and the rest of the time with Mrs. Rice at the Lyman home in East Oakland.

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Miss Tola Burnham of San Diego is the guest of Miss Adele Ehrenberg at her San Antonio home for the holiday week end. Miss Burnham is a student at Miss Head's school in Berkeley and is a cousin of Miss Lillie Burnham who is visiting at the Mathews home.

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Mrs. T. B. Walker was hostess at an elaborate luncheon at her home on St. Charles street today in honor of Mrs. Colin Nicol formerly Miss Ruby Johnson who is visiting her mother Mrs. A. J. Johnson. Mrs. Walker has been the motif for much entertainment during her visit.

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Miss Mattie Bacon is again at her home on Shattuck street after two months spent in South in California. Miss Bacon has visited several of her friends in the southland and has seen all the chief points of interest during her trip.

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Mr. Emmett Jones will entertain at an informal afternoon at his home on Eighteenth avenue on Monday afternoon in honor of his sister Miss Carrie Jones who is visiting here. Miss Jones visited Miss Jones before on their return from a prolonged stay for the East and has many friends here.

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A most enjoyable session of bridge was spent at the home of Mrs. Charles Adams 1621 Bay street last Friday when prizes were won by Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. E. Bonte Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. C. Part Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. Hughes in the [illegible] the prize [illegible] was won by Miss Norris.

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Mrs. Edward M. Wall of Mrs. [illegible] Wall entertained the members of the Fun Club at the Wall residence on Central avenue Wednesday afternoon. The club meets every two weeks at the home of the members and [illegible] endeavors [illegible] some [illegible] form of entertainment. On this occasion [illegible] were the guests of Mrs. W. [illegible] and the suits were cast [illegible] Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. R. Bailey Mrs. P. J. Wall Mrs. George C. Bull Mrs. Philip Bull Mrs. Shaw Mrs. Brown Mrs. Thomas Dudley Mrs. [illegible] Mrs. M. J. Wilson Mrs. P. J. Murphy and others.

Popular Girl to Become Bride in January

MISS AGNES FLYNN, Who Has Announced Her Betrothal

BERKELEY Nov 28—The engagement is announced of Miss Agnes Flynn daughter of President John Flynn contractor building at 757 Sixty first street North Oakland and Burt Stewart a merchant of South Berkeley. Both the young people are popular in the Inter-city section. The marriage has been set for January 3. The honeymoon will be spent on Puget Sound, and they will be at home to their friends after January 15.

PLAN TO ESTABLISH NEW N. S. G. W. PARLOR

BERKELEY Nov 28 A movement is on foot to establish a parlor of the Native Sons in West Berkeley. A number of West Berkeley men intend to join the Claremont and Berkeley parlors but because of the long distance to be traversed in coming from West Berkeley it is thought this will be found to establish a new parlor.

ELKS OF BERKELEY HOLD ENJOYABLE LADIES' NIGHT

Skits Presented by Amateur Thespians

BERKELEY Nov 28 "The Land of Pluto" was the title of the [illegible] given at the Elks lodge last evening at the Elks [illegible] enthusiastic audience. The play was written by W. Sally Townsend Melcher of Berkeley and the production last night was the original one. Following was the cast:

Molly Kelley Prospector Molly Catherine Edmunds Dr. Dilbert "the Cowboy" Sam E. Hume Cattle Jones wife Sara Gilbert Panche Mexican maiden Miss St. Jan Perrymore.

Another skit entitled Captain Impudence was presented by a number of [illegible] Following is the cast: Major Bugg U. S. A. Thornton Ellis Cordin Shields U. S. N. [illegible] Merton [illegible] Lorelei, Lucretia B[illegible] ghter, Gertrude S[illegible] day night, the b[illegible] local Lodge of Elks [illegible] social success [illegible] Program [illegible] and genuine wor[illegible] the story and we[illegible] later.

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UNABLE TO SOLVE MYSTERY SURROUNDING BIG BATTLE

BERKELEY Nov 28 Joe Tabuda the [illegible] Japanese who [illegible] in the Latin section of the Bay [illegible] Contra Costa county will probably [illegible] The [illegible] in the [illegible] edition [illegible] gradually in the [illegible] hours [illegible] blood [illegible] set in [illegible] prepared [illegible] excellent for his [illegible] vengeance after [illegible] the men [illegible] wounded [illegible] men arrest[illegible] the trouble is also [illegible] The officers are [illegible] Little success, to [illegible] ng able to [illegible] his own [illegible] him [illegible] an who is [illegible] for om[illegible] rapidly im[illegible] probing [illegible] certain the [illegible]

SOCIALISTS TO HOLD DANCE IN BERKELEY

BERKELEY Nov 28—The South [illegible] branch of the Socialist party [illegible] the Oakland Francisco in [illegible] masquerade [illegible] in Rich[illegible] hall on the evening of December [illegible] The invitations are ordered [illegible] being written out in the form of an [illegible] in regulation [illegible] the [illegible] the Socialist party [illegible] plaintiff and John Doe [illegible] the public in general the defendants. In [illegible] language the general public is [illegible] to attend the masquerade or forfeit a royal good time. The legal seals on the invitation and 100 or more South Berkeley [illegible] have been served with the injunctions.

THREE MORE TRIALS: THEN A CLEAN SLATE

ALAMEDA Nov 28—The three remaining Civic League cases which were temporarily dropped from the calendar by Judge Duppan have been restored and will be set for trial some time during December. William Zinzer is defendant in two of the cases and his clerk James Kellenberger figures as defendant in the third case. With these three cases disposed of the Civic League slate will be wiped clean.

POLICE ARREST MAN AFTER TWO YEARS HUNT

BERKELEY, Nov 28—[illegible] burglary at 5626 Telegraph avenue were arrested this morning by Berkeley police on a warrant sworn to by Mariano Canafalmilla charging him with a deadly weapon. Canafalmilla was engaged in an altercation with two men when the men ran. A warrant was sworn out the following morning and the accused man was not arrested until detectives located him. Bail was fixed under $[illegible] bonds.

PURCHASE PROPERTY TO BUILD [illegible] ILL ON

SAN LEANDRO, Nov 28 [illegible] the Bomberger property [illegible] R. J. Mondonca [illegible] Paterson, who [illegible] on the premises. The firm will be [illegible] Mill and Lumber firm will discontinue [illegible] planing mill. With the amount [illegible] company is confident [illegible] enough work for [illegible] portion of [illegible] has been [illegible] many thrilling [illegible] that there [illegible] up-to date [illegible]

NOTED SOLDIER IS LAID AT REST

Funeral Services Over Late Colonel Henry de Hart Waite Held in the College Town.

BERKELEY Nov 28—Funeral services over the late Colonel Henry de Hart Waite former commandant of the University cadets were held at the family home at 2617 Regent street this afternoon Rev. W. P. Hodgkins, assistant rector of St. Mark's church, officiated.

The pallbearers were Professor Theodore Vogt of the Bohemian Club of San Francisco, Professor Walter H. Magee, Professor M. W. Haskell and Professor George C. Edwards of the faculty of the State University, General George A. Stone of San Francisco and W. A. Forester commander of the Spanish War Veterans of Oakland. The floral offering were numerous and elaborate. Interment was in Mountain View cemetery.

HAYWARD TO HAVE MILITIA COMPANY?

Members of New Organization Hope to Get Charter In Short Time.

HAYWARD Nov 28—Captain J. J. Borree of the proposed Hayward militia reports that over $260 clear profit was realized by the three-day turkey shoot which wound up on Thanksgiving Day. The proceeds of the shoot will augment the fund which has been started for the establishment of a target range near Hayward. Several sites are being considered, but the location has not yet been determined. Captain Borree has received information which led him to believe that the Hayward militia organization will receive its charter from the State within a few days. The company is enthusiastic about the matter and is drilling conscientiously.

GETS SIXTY DAYS

ALAMEDA Nov 28 Aldwood Miller, alias known as Ab. Miller an habitual offender was this morning sentenced by Police Judge Tappan to 60 days in the city prison on a drunkenness charge.

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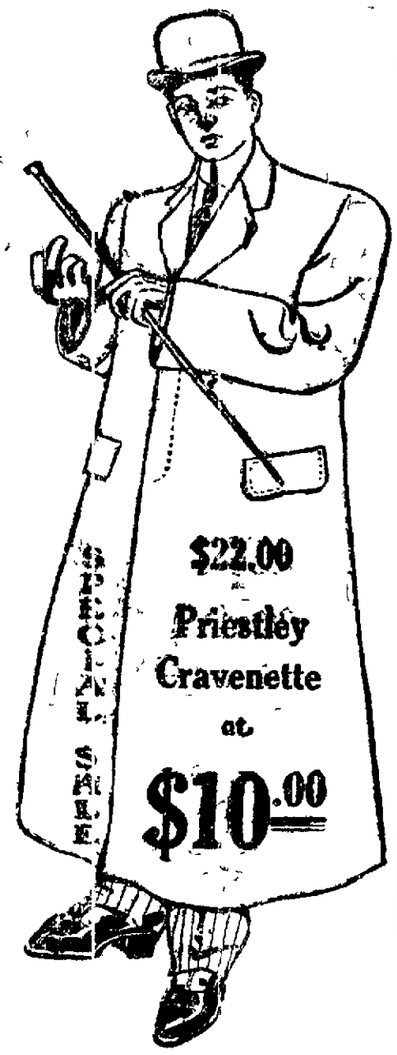

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SHORT DISTANCE SHOW TO BE STAGED BY JACK GLEASON AT DREAMLAND RINK

The Portly Promoter Has a Strong Card

With Three Fifteen Round Contests It Would Seem That Gleason Has An Attraction Worth the Money.

By EDDIE SMITH

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TOMORROW night at the Dreamland Pavilion in San Francisco Jack Gleason will stage a series of short distance contests that he has arranged as a compromise card to fill his November date after he lost the Papke-Ketchel battle.

The contests as arranged by Gleason calls for fifty-one rounds of boxing in which eleven men will take part. The three main events on the card are all slated to go fifteen rounds and the preliminary is to go six.

The headliner to the show is the fifteen-round contest between Kid Harrison and Sam Nelson. These lads have met twice before the first bout being declared a draw, and the second going to Nelson on a decision after fifteen rounds of fast and clever milling. Both the contests were of the hair raising order, and it is very likely that the third will be even warmer than the first two.

Harrison, after losing the last contest, said that he was of the opinion that he had won or that he was at least entitled to a draw but that if ever given another chance with the white boy, that he would fight in such a manner that there would be no decision to give.

Harrison, and it might be said, the great majority of those present thought that he had been given the worst of the deal, so he has intimated that on the next time out that he will throw all the stalling to the winds and fight from the jump, so that he will either be put away and beaten decisively or win just as decisively from the man that he thinks he was given the worst of it with twice out.

Nelson has been working with Harry Foley for the past few months, and it is said that he has shown great improvement in his work. This contest will no doubt be a humdinger with such rivalry existing between the two men.

Reagan and Attell

The real contest of the evening however, will probably be the battle between Monte Attel and Jimmy Reagan that is we of this side of the bay will think so until it has been shown us that we are wrong.

Reagan has made such a hit here by his fast, aggressive style of boxing, that we have fallen to his game very strongly. He is all that could be asked for in a rough and ready boxer and for a man of his size and physique he is able to withstand the hardest blows that any of the young men of the ring who have appeared in the short distance contests have shown.

With all this advantage and roughness however he is as less a fighter as any clever man might be, for although he does not at all times land his mauling punches right on the spot, he is always able to land enough to do the trick.

When Reagan fought Jimmy Carroll at Calinas a 20-round draw it was the surprise of the season among the men who follow the lesser lights of pugdom, for he in no way figured to have a chance.

Draw With Carroll

Carroll has been considered the cleverest of the little fellows in California for a long time, and it was predicted that he would jab the aggressive Mr Reagan into slumberland in a short time.

Reagan fooled the gang and came home with a little the better of the contest, although it was declared a draw.

Carroll and Attell have met and fought draws at least twice and for that reason it would seem that Reagan has a good chance. Monte will prove hard game for Reagan though, and it will be a good try out for him.

In the first of the fifteen round contests Charlie Reilly and Joe Leahy also rivals from long ago, will meet and try to settle which is the better man.

Reilly has just returned from Honolulu, where he was acclaimed the champion of the islands and the best little man they have ever seen there after he had a few contests.

Reilly and Leahy are rivals from the days of the four-round professional game in San Francisco and they also met in the Islands in a fifteen-round contest that was boosted as the best mill that Honolulu has ever been lucky enough to witness.

Both men are very clever and the battle will attract considerable interest. Frank Schuler has been selected to referee the battle and as he has had considerable experience in the refereeing of amateur bouts and is a very good boxer he should prove acceptable.

Langford and Flynn

Samuel Berger, the Haberdasher Kid and erstwhile promoter of boxing contests, has matched Samuel Langford and Jim Flynn for his December attraction and in doing so he has secured a card that to the fans looks pretty fine. We are all anxious to see this much talked of Mr Langford in action and in a battle with a rough neck like Flynn he should have plenty of opportunity to show his boxing and fighting ability. One thing sure is that unless he can show his boxing and fighting ability he will be relegated to the ash can and his much talked of match with Stanley Ketchel will be a thing that we just thought of on a upon a time.

But before going any further let me say this dear reader, you will see some boxing and fighting when this handsome black steps into the ring. Two years and a half ago I had the pleasure of seeing Langford box with Joe Jeanett and the way that he stepped in and out and around that big 200 pounder was a caution.

Langford is legitimately a middleweight and he can make the middleweight limit as easily as Ketchel or any of the men in that class but owing to his extreme clever ness and hitting ability he has been forced to meet heavy weights on the last few years and has even tackled Jack Johnson, with whom he went fifteen rounds.

Lost to Johnson

Langford lost the decision to the big black but he made a great showing against one so much bigger and his showing is a boost even though he lost. There has been so much talk of matching Langford with Ketchel and the men in his class being afraid of him that the fans are more than usually anxious to see him in the heat of a good battle.

The tilt with Flynn will also be a good chance to get a line on him in case he ever meets Ketchel. Stanley has still that he will meet Langford and there is no reason to believe that he will go back on his word to be is surely not in the least afraid of the black.

Berger has signed Flynn and has guaranteed him $4000 win, lose or a draw. The fireman has been at Los Angeles for some time and after his winning battle with Battling Johnson Berger immediately got on the train and started south for the purpose of signing him up.

Flynn is just the tough and tumble fellow who is always so sure he can beat a colored man and he immediately accepted that is as soon as he received the offer that he thought was proper for a fight with such a tough out.

Berger has been in communication with Langford for the past few months and has him well tied up by some sort of an offer that he is not making public. At any rate he has sent the colored chap with a face like a baboon, two-round trip tickets and by the latter part of next week he and his manager should be in San Francisco.

Still Talking Papke

Everybody at all interested in the pugilistic game is still talking over the Papke-Ketchel contest and all sorts of opinions are offered as to the reasons for Papke's showing and as to the future of Ketchel.

Some have talked of what they call a poor showing, and others have talked of the indifference that he showed but for the life of me I am at a loss to figure on what they call a poor showing. Ketchel appears to me to be one of the best fighters we have ever had and he has a punch that has put every fighter who has stood in guns as Papke did out in much quicker time Jack (Twin) Sullivan went and through twenty rounds with the Michigan, but he did so by running away and not by fighting and trying as Papke did.

This old talk of Papke not trying is all bosh he let fly with right hand uppercuts that would have dropped an ox if they had landed right. Ketchel had studied a style that would make it almost impossible to land a right hand wallop, however, and he mastered it in fine style.

To Ketchel belongs the credit of winning a great victory and I am one of the opinion that he can not fight, then let them produce a man who is able to beat him. That is the argument as to the result of that fight and there is no other. If the people think that Papke did not try they are very foolish and then thinking so, for he tried oft n and desperately to turn the tide of battle several times and when he was beaten he was trying to get up to continue a thing that was unnecessary if he was trying to lose.

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Langford and Flynn Will Fight for Berger

Papke-Ketchel Talk Still the Gossip of Sporting World---Ketchel Won Great Battle Thanksgiving.

Bowling Game Creates Big Interest

GEORGE WILLIAMS,
One of Oakland's Crack Bowlers.

The bowling game is getting into popular favor again and the local alleys are thronged every night.

George Williams, one of the old guard, is still in the game and playing it to a fine tune. Williams rattles off a good game any old time at the Lincoln Wellington street and thinks nothing of it. Williams is one of hard luck in always there with the "old rolled curve." Jack Rodgers the boy wizard of the Palace is leading in duckpins, he set them down with 117. He left his score with Jack and Williams lifted it with 5.

Walter Cadwallader of Berkeley plays pool on a temporary table in the Lincoln alleys a few days ago and gave his name to the board. Other members of the same company are also bowling on the tables and can off a be seen in operation on the alleys.

A few of the duck pin scores at the Palace are: Rodgers 118, Williams 117, Roy Cole 116, Duffy 119.

Welsh Best Boxer In World, Says Jeffries

(BY JAMES J. JEFFRIES)

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 28. Two more ring surprises have been added to the long list of unloaded-for happenings in the boxing world that have occurred during the present year. A man more clever than Abe Attell has been found and Stanley Ketchel has done what no one champion before him has ever done—retaken his lost title.

The Attell-Welsh bout was one of the cleanest battles ever fought in the Southland. The matching of those two men was a credit to the matchmaker and the battle as it was fought was a credit to both the winner and the loser.

If there is a boxer in the world who is more clever than Freddie Welsh I have yet to see him. The Englishman's work was a revelation to every man who saw him in action against Attell. A testimonial to Welsh's cleverness is the way in which Attell accepted defeat. After congratulating Welsh and in that time has in any manner tried to detract from Welsh's victory.

Attell Outclassed.

Attell lost no prestige by this defeat except that he will no longer be considered the lightest champion in the world. Attell went up against a man who is bigger, stronger and more skillful than he, and was beaten by a man who is bigger, stronger and more skillful than he. The Englishman is showing improvement every year. All that he lost to Abe Attell was a few months ago he was beaten by Matt Wells, the champion of Australia. By his showing Wednesday night Welsh demonstrated that he is one of the best boxers in the lightweight division for many years.

Considering the developments of his past few weeks Welsh has a great claim upon Champion Stanley Ketchel's respect and attention than has Mr Finland.

Is After Nelson.

In speaking of Nelson the English boy showed that he meant business when he said:

Nelson always insists on a long route for us. He has had a little the parlor claims a decision by the latter anything under forty rounds. Now I'll fight but forty five round and I'll sign any agreement that the champion secures for me a chance.

This I'll do the fighting ring to Welsh by his exceptional cleverness and by his gentle manly conduct outside the ring. The South is full of men who would back him against Nelson.

PRESENT METHOD OF REWARDING BOXERS MAY LEAD TO SWINDLES IN THE FUTURE

Promoters Should Go Back to the Old Method

A Winner and Loser End of the Purse Money With the Big End for the Drawing Card a Bad Feature in Sport.

By W. W. NAUGHTON

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THE Papke-Ketchel bout has left the best taste in the mouths of some of the well informed that it is a wonder to the wonder that it is a wonder to the wonder that it was the Illinois Thunderbolt but he did the Michigan Wizard. It was a shock and a surprise. We would see Billy the Kid have a little the worse of it but we never thought that our favorite would be so completely outclassed. There were a number of reasons for the result of that fight and there is no other. If the people think that Papke did not try they are very foolish and then thinking so, for he tried oft n and desperately to turn the tide of battle several times and when he was beaten he was trying to get up to continue a thing that was unnecessary if he was trying to lose.

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Rewarding Bad

Just the same the present method of rewarding fighters who have attained such prominence as entitle them to be known as drawing cards is apt to be responsible for big ring swindles sooner or later. Winners and losers endeavor to get quantities in pugilism now. The fellow who won the preceding fight demands the lion's share of a stipulated sum "win lose or draw," the other man insists on what is left. The promoter guarantees and then sits back and wonders what things will be like when the dust is thrown up.

Under such an arrangement there is a case of a threadbare pugilist or manager proposing a fixed fight so as to increase the pool by betting on a certain outcome. He could use the money that he put on each loser to the extent of the prize money is also a temptation to the pugilist and the manager to throw the fight. If the public was sure that the fight was on the square the public is willing to pay the price for the fight. If the public is sure that it is being swindled it will not pay the price for the fight. If the public is sure that it is being swindled it will not pay the price for the fight. If the public is sure that it is being swindled it will not

CRESSINA EASILY CAPTURES DALY HANDICAP

DON ENRIQUE SULKS AND REFUSES TO LEAVE POST

Favorite Refuses to Break From the Barrier

Owner C. R. Ellison Plays in Hard Luck and J. Ramsey Is Benefited and Proves the Whole Show.

By LEE DEMIER

E. J. RAMSEY was about the whole show at the Emeryville track yesterday, while C. R. Ellison played in about as hard luck as his worst enemy could wish him. Ramsey won the Daly handicap at a mile and a sixteenth with Cressina and also pulled down $400 when Mabel Hollander won the fifth race once around the circle with her ears pricking. On the other half Ellison's Don Enrique, the winner of the Thanksgiving handicap and favorite in yesterday's handicap, was mad as a hatter and sulked at the post, refusing to break, although Butler pounded him with his rawhide for all he was worth. He refused to even break into a gallop until the field was at the quarter pole. Ellison also played in hard luck with J. C. Core, the favorite in the second race on the card. Core got off badly, ran up to the head of his field, but tiring from the effort, fell back and let Elford, the heavily played good thing, beat him home by a length.

A Classy Card.

The card offered at Williams Park yesterday was a classy one, and was witnessed by a large half-holiday crowd. The grand stand was packed with humanity, well gowned women being in the majority, while the betting ring was a lugorous place for any but a strong man. The bettors simply climbed over one another to get down their coin, and the bookies had to work like lightning to grab what coin was shoved into their outstretched hands.

Cressina Just Galloped.

With Don Enrique left at the post, Cressina did not even have to extend herself to win the Daly Handicap, which was the feature of the day. Only six starters lined up at the tape for this event. Don Enrique was the heavily backed favorite, but went to the post in a sulky mood and refused to leave the barrier.

Cressina was away on her toes, and Sullivan took no chances, sending her away about her business, cantering home, laughing at the field all the way. The race developed no contest whatever. W. T. Overton ran in second position all the way, and Tony Faust swinging along several lengths behind for the show. Tobe Ramsey's mare is sure in fine fettle and will give a good account of herself from now on.

Boas showed decided improvement over his last race, and made the field in the initial event look like thirty cents. The Keene trick closed on equal terms with Billy Bowlegs, in the betting mart, but at the finish, ten lengths separated the pair and the winner was only winging. After indulging in a humping match, St. Joe fell heir to the show.

Under the best handling, Elford, the heavily played good thing, grabbed the decision in the second race. Keogh held his mount in good position till well on the way home, then let out a wrap, overtook and passed J. C. Core, the pacemaker, leading him home by a length. The latter tired badly at the end, but held the place safe from Silver Stocking.

E. Trotter's consistent performer, Billy Pullman turned the tables on Deutschland in the third. The last time out the two hooked up in a sizzling finish and Pullman ran the old Sam horse to a head. Today Trotter's gelding drew away at the finish and beat Schreiber's old campaigner in impressive style. The winner is in splendid form and has been right there in all his races. Show money went to Fred Bent.

E. J. Ramsey drew down another purse when Mabel Hollander romped home in the fifth, tiptoeing her field from wire to wire. Elevation finished with a determined rush and outgamed Bellmence for the place.

F. Cook's Anna L. Daley proved the winner in the sixth race for babies at five and a half furlongs. With a better break Toll Box would have given the winner a stiffer argument. Toll Box was sixth at the half and fourth entering the stretch, but he wormed his way through to finish second, beating Sainvoko for the place by a head. F. H. Milden's Strike Out held at 3s in the betting, was a wild horse today, and may have won had it not been for he fact that he crawled under the barrier at a false break and ran away for five-eighths of a mile. He went around to start, but wound up in last place, his chase having worn him out.

Roseben's nitial Appearance

Thanksgiving week brought with it the first rain of the season and the "wet-footers" among the thoroughbreds had their innings. Those animals that could go to the front and splash mud made connections with the big end of the purses.

Toward the end of the week and on Thanksgiving day the strong, long striding horse came in for honors, as he could slow through the heavy holding going. form during he week maintained its high average, especially so on the sloppy tracks, when they came down in one, two, three order as the betting indicated; but when the big holiday crowd came out on the nation's Thanksgiving day the noble animal some way forgot his consistency, and the piker and the long-shot player came in for the seat of honor. On this day but one public choice caught the judge's eye first, and that one was the peerless Roseben, America's greatest sprinter, who was making his initial start on the Pacific coast. Probably never in the history of American racing has a race horse become so well known as the "big train."

For several years he has held the enviable position as being the greatest race horse up to seven furlongs in the country, with weight packed on his back that would break down the ordinary racer. It is safe to say had New York racing remained unhampered that this grand son of Ben Strome Rose Leaf would be enjoying his annual rest in preparation of next season stake events; but as the metropolis of our country received a solar plexus in the racing game at the last session of their legislature owners of high-class performers had to do the next best thing and try the California winter game, which, as the sport stands today, is the Mecca of racing in this country.

Roseben, who can pack unheard-of weight and carry his speed beyond record-breaking, was the real attraction for the Thursday holiday, and it goes without saying that the noble fellow was the incentive for bringing out many a patron that would have otherwise diverted his

LEE DEMIER.

sporting proclivities to some other channel, but as this great thoroughbred had been the sensation of the turf for several years lovers of the superior in anything were anxious to pay homage to his greatness, and the ovation accorded this day did one's heart a world of good. The big fellow did not fail his admirers, but stepped down the Futurity course in the remarkable time of 1:10 3-5 over a heavy, sticky track, and in a manner that demonstrated had any one been in the race worthy his steel he could have come dangerously close to record time. The rider had his head turned sideways, and he was going so easy that the foolish layers of odds had a sinking feeling in their lower regions when they thought of the extremely high price of even money they had chalked against what should have been a 1 to 20 shot.

The only accountable reason for such extravagance on the part of the bookmakers was the fact that Roseben had never shown much liking for the kind of track that prevailed, and it being his first start much speculation was had as to his condition, but the holiday crowd was in no manner swayed by the idea, and backed the old fellow for what he is—the world's greatest short-distance thoroughbred.

It is safe to say that it will be many years before such a price in such company will be laid against Davy Johnson's good true bread winner.

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Arkansas Racing

Discussing the racing situation with one of R. R. Ries's warmest personal friends and one that knows how he feels on the situation in Arkansas, his native State and home, said: "Well, is it not a late day for the so-called Western Jockey Club to restore him and lift the ban from his shoulder" Now he is an old, broken-down man in health and spirits? At the time they so unjustly placed the ban on him he had forty-five horses in training, one of the most useful stables in the Middle West. Now he does not own a horse. What interest he now has is through his son and he is thoroughly identified with the racing in California. Why should he or his friends tear their old clothes to revive racing in a State where he was not allowed to race. The very same people, Celia, Condon and Steward, own the Clinton Park track at Little Rock, Ark., and the Oaklawn track at Hot Springs. Would it be reasonable to expect him or his friends to restore racing for those people that virtually made a pauper out of him" They branded him and his friends in Arkansas. They even went so far as to refuse his son, R. R. Ries Jr., a license as trainer. Little did they think this would effect them, but three hundred copies were struck off, a copy was placed at each member of the Lower House's desk as well as one on the desk of each senator by Senator Annis. He remarked well those billionaires are carrying out the Biblical injunction: The sins of the father are visited upon the son. For no other reason was he refused a license, for he had never raced on an outlawed track and no ruling of any kind was against him. I can clearly see that if they revive racing in Arkansas they will have to make peace with the proper ones."

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Thanksgiving Handicap

When Roseben came prancing down in front in the third event racegoers were just getting warmed up to the afternoon's sport and unloaded on the big day's feature with a vengeance.

This event had such an open appearance that all contenders came in for liberal support. Charley Ellison, the blonde plunger of the East, took down the purse with his superior mud runner Don Enrique, while the other entry was beaten but a head for the place. Dorinto finished a close second, while S. C. Hildreth's good campaigner Montgomery disappointed his admirers by finishing fourth, beaten off, and never showing to advantage in the race.

The balance of the card this day was made up of such a bad lot that it seems that a force was played upon patrons to allow them to start.

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Inferior Horses Predominate

With the supposedly big number of good horses out here lovers of the thoroughbred are wondering why they do not come out to try their luck, instead of calling their heads off. Friday's card of inferior horses could not have been duplicated at the famous Algiers half-mile "hold-up" track, let alone the bushes.

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What to Look for Next Week

The program book issued for the next six days of racing has down many rich offerings that should bring together good racers. The selling and purse races are of the usual variety.

The main features are as follows:

Tuesday—The Father Handicap, at five furlongs, for all ages, value $600.

Wednesday—The Ferguson Handicap, at one and one-eighth miles, for three-year-olds and up, purse $1000.

Thursday—The McDaniel Handicap, at seven furlongs, for all ages, value $600.

Friday—The Lisle Handicap, at seven furlongs, for two-year-olds, value $600.

Saturday—The Cricket Selling Stakes, with $2000 added, at one mile, for three-year-old and up. The Stanford Handicap, at one mile and seventy yards, for all ages, purse $700, and the O'Fallon Handicap, over the Futurity course, with a value of $600.

Classy Card Offered at Williams Park

Cressina Away in Fine Style Is Never in Trouble and Sullivan Came Home Riding Easy.

Turf Notes

When Cressina came under the wire a neck in front of Montgomery, in the Carter Handicap, it looked very much as if Tobe Ramsey had got hold of a pretty good piece of horseflesh at a small cost when he claimed her for $1325 a few days previous. The mare won many races in the East, and should make good on this coast, as she is a superior racer in the mud.

The many races on for broken-down has-beens has been a godsend for many an owner that has been paying out feed bills the past few months. It is hoped for the good of the sport that owners of thoroughbreds that have some pretension to class will take advantage of the Jockey Club's efforts and inducements to get them out and enter more freely.

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Jakie Jones has a clever colt in Madman, one that can go on any kind of a track and carry his weight. It looks as Jakie will gather many a purse this winter with his small but select string.

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Marion Rose, winner of the first race Tuesday, and superbly ridden by "Happy" Buxton was the medium of a heavy plunge in out-of-town poolrooms, and the Fleur de Lis stable and connections are credited with a handsome clean-up.

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The many calamity howlers that have been saying that the "Marvelous" Miller was a back number must take to the tall timber, as Walter demonstrated that he was as good as ever by his clever ride he put up during the week.

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Owner Bedwell slipped one in on them when his old horse Paletta came down the stretch winning easily from a good field at the tempting odds of 15 to 1. This horse is a bear on the kind of track that prevailed that day and helped to swell H. G.'s fat bank roll.

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The same day, when Wap breezed in ahead of his former stable mate, Von Tromp, in the sixth race, H. G. B. had one put on him. Wap the time before ran in his colors, but was claimed by the Beckwith stable, and to make the rub worse they made it look as if H. G. B. had much the worse of the bargain.

MILE RACES NEEDED TO KEEP UP SPORT

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 28.—Unless the mile tracks decide to operate after the holidays this city will be without racing this winter. This was decided today when the promoters of the announced ninety days' meet at the half-mile track announced their abandonment of the game, claiming a loss of $10,000 after three days' operation in accordance with the Locke law, which prohibits bookmaking, but which is said to be lax enough to allow individual betting. Although small purses were given, the said admissions did not average two hundred daily, and Manager Lovegan says he is a convert now to the belief that betless meetings are failures.

ALBION ROVERS TO GO AGAINST INDEPENDENTS

(By A. C. GOLLAN.)

Albion Rovers vs. Independents, at Freeman's Park, Oakland.

Hornets vs. Thistles, at Webster street grounds, Alameda.

Building Trades vs. Vampires, at Presidio, San Francisco.

Burns vs. San Francisco, at San Mateo.

The Rovers are having their share of hard luck these days. In the game with the Vampires, Pike and Milner were put on the injured list and now Aitken has taken his place with these two players, only his injury is more serious, receiving a broken wrist in the benefit game with the Thistles Thanksgiving morning. His place will be a hard one to fill, as the centerforward position is difficult to play, and Aitken has been putting up a nice game.

There is a deal of talk about having a benefit game for Aitken.

NEW LINE-UP.

The Rovers will go against the strong Independent team this afternoon with an important team. The front rank will be practically a new one, with the exception of the two outside men, Balmain and Watters. The first named player, it seems to me, would make a good substitute for Aitken.

The Rovers have the strongest defense of any of the teams, and with a few hang-up forwards who, if they could only shoot, the result of the game would be an easy forecast.

More than ordinary interest will be attached to this game by the appearance of Donohue against his former mates. He is a clever forward, and knows how to shoot, but I question if he has tackled a stronger defense in his football career as Selkirk and M'Kiernan. Selkirk is a whole team in himself, and M'Kiernan, in form, should be able to hold Donohue.

THISTLES VS. HORNETS.

The Thistles and Hornets will supply the entertainment at Alameda, and as the Hornets are an improved team in many respects from their early season form, a stiff game should be witnessed.

Deakin, the star forward of the Vancouver Rugby team, will appear for the Hornets in the front rank, and there should be some hot times around the Thistle goal, with Deakin a prominent figure.

The Vampires should win easily from the Building Trades, but the game between the Burns and San Francisco should be a nibbler on.

The Albion Rovers' goalkeeper entered the wedded ranks last week. Congratulations!

Results and Entries of the Santa Anita Races Are Printed Every Evening in Sporting Extra.

Owner Jakie Jones' Clever Colt Madman, One Who Can Go on Any Kind of a Track and Carry His Weight; It Looks Like Jones Will Gather Many Purses With His Clever Colt

TRIBUNE'S FORM CHART

EMERYVILLE RACETRACK, Nov. 28, 1908—19th Day, Fall and Winter Meeting. Weather clear. Track heavy.

E. C. HOPPER, Presiding Judge—RICHARD DWYER, Starter

3705 FIRST RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up. Purse, $400.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	F.	Jockey	O.	C.
3677	Boas, 3 (Keene Bros.)	105	1	..	1¹	1½	1¹	1¹⁰	Walsh	3-2	7-5
3677	Billy Bowlegs, 3 (R. L. Thomas)	105	2	..	2²	2¹	2²	2²	Butler	6-5	7-5
3681	St. Joe, 6 (Irwin Bros.)	109	5	..	4⁴	4¹⁰	3³	3⁵	Gilbert	15	25
3621	Mechlin, 4 (C. A. Ross)	109	3	..	3¹	3⁵	4⁴	4⁶	Rettig	15	50
3681	Halford, a (E. Wolbridge)	109	6	..	6⁴	6³	5⁵	5½	Borel	20	50
3625	Billy Watkins, 3 (Terry & Co.)	110	7	..	7	7	7	6¹⁰	Coburn	6	8
3687	G. P. McNear, 6 (Kenilworth F.)	111	4	..	5⁴	5⁴	6²	7	Lynch	30	100

Boas, place 2-5, show 1-5. Bowlegs, place 2-5, show 1-5. Joe, show 11-5.
At post 1½ minutes. Off 1:45. Time—:24 3-5, :48 4-5, 1:15 1-5.
Start good. Won in a gallop, second driving, third stopping.
Winner—B. g. by Royal Flush III—Scythiana. Trained by W. Reed.
Scratches—Goldenn.
Boas made a show of his field. Bowlegs had no excuses. Joe avoided early pace, closed fast in stretch, interfering with Mechlin. Latter tired badly chasing leader. Watkins almost knocked down at start.

3706 SECOND RACE—Six furlongs; selling; three-year-olds and up. Purse, $400.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	F.	Jockey	O.	C.
3687	Elford, 5 (C. Morton)	108	6	..	4³	2ᵃ	2½	1¹	Keogh	10	16-5
3695	J. C. Core, 4 (C. R. Ellison)	114	5	..	1ᵃ	1½	1²	2¹	Butler	6-5	17-10
3687	Silver Stocking, 4 (Bedwell)	105	2	..	2⁴	3⁵	3ᵃ	3ᵃ	Taplin	5-2	13-5
3698	Wap, 3 (Beckwith Stable)	102	1	..	3ᵇ	4³	4ᵃ	4³	Kirschb'm	4	8
3677	Nebulosis, 3 (M. J. Daly)	100	3	..	5¹	5⁵	5⁵	5⁶	Miller	7-2	7-2
3348	Bill Curtis, a (Baird & Co.)	107	4	..	6	6	6	6	Stuart	60	300

Elford, place 2-1, show even. Core, place 7-10, show 7-20. Stocking, show 2-5.
At post 1 minute. Off 2:09. Time—:24 4-5, :49 1-5, 1:15.
Start good. Won easily, second same, third driving.
Winner—B. h. by Herald—Purity. Trained by C. Morton.
Elford best ridden. Keogh avoided early pace, shook him up and won going away. Core tired in final furlong. Stocking hung at finish. Wap finished strong. Nebulosis no speed.

3707 THIRD RACE—One mile and seventy yards; selling; three-year-olds and up. Purse, $500.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	F.	Jockey	O.	C.
3690	Billy Pullman, 3 (E. Trotter)	104	3	3¹	3¹	2ᵇ	1ᵇ	1¹	McCarthy	8-5	16-5
3690	Deutschland, a (E. Schreiber)	106	1	1ᵇ	1¹	1½	2²	2½	Keogh	8-5	11-10
3690	Fred Bent, 5 (J. H. Brannan)	104	4	2½	2ᵇ	3¹	3¹	3¹	Miller	5-2	3
2582	Raleigh, 3 (J. H. Miller)	102	2	5	4²	4¹⁰	4¹⁰	4¹⁰	Gilbert	10	15
3662	Gargantua, 4 (H. G. Bedwell)	116	5	4²	5	5	5	5	Taplin	15	18

Pullman, place, 4-5, show 1-3. Deutschland, place 2-5, show out. Bent, show 1-3.
At post ½ minute. Off 2:32½. Time—:24 2-5, :49 2-5, 1:15 2-5, 1:42, 1:46 1-5.
Start good. Won in a gallop, second and third easily.
Winner—B. g. by Glenheim—Andrina. Trained by E. Trotter.
Scratches—Lady Alicia.
Pullman, always close up, ran over pacemaker in last eighth. Deutschland did his best. Bent ran to his notch. Raleigh made up ground, probably short.

3708 FOURTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles; Daly Handicap; three-year-olds and up. Purse, $1000.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	F.	Jockey	O.	C.
3687	Cressina, 5 (E. J. Ramsey)	101	3	1¹	1¹	1¹	1½	1½	E. Sullivan	7-2	5
3684	W. T. Overton, 4 (Applegate)	109	2	2ᵃ	2ᵃ	2¹½	2¹	2¹	Walsh	5-2	3
3706	Tony Faust, 4 (S. C. Hildreth)	103	1	3ᵃ	3¹⁰	3¹⁰	3ᵃ	3½	McCarthy	8	8
3687	Frank Flittner, 5 (Los Ang. Sta.)	108	4	4½	4½	4ᵃ	4ᵃ	4¹⁰	Kirschb'm	15	20
3685	Midmont, 5 (Bohemian Stable)	109	5	5	5	5	5	5	Jos. H. King	20	100
3668	I Told You, 5 (Hong & Co.)	109	6	8	8	8¹	7ᵇ	6½	Rettig	15	25
3681	Melar, 6 (G. F. McNell)	109	6	6²	7½	8	8	7¹⁰	Mentry	20	25
3668	Woolen, 4 (O. L. Rogers)	109	3	3ᵇ	3½	5½	7ᵃ	8	Borel	8	20

Holland, place 1-2, show 1-3. Elevation, place 9-5, show 7-10. Bellmence, show 1-2.
At post 1 minute. Off 3:26. Time—:25 3-5, :50 3-5, 1:16 4-5, 1:44.
Start good. Won easily, second driving, third easily.
Winner—B. m. by Muzio—Perfect. Trained by F. Neville.
Scratches—Yellowstone, Etapa.
Hollander tiptoed her field from start, never in trouble. Elevation carried wide on stretch turn, finished fast. Bellmence hung in final 100 yards. Sue showed improvement. Midmont closed stoutly. Woolen flash of speed.

3710 SIXTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs; two-year-olds. Purse, $400.

Ind.	Horse, Age and Owner.	Wt.	St.	¼	½	¾	Str.	F.	Jockey	O.	C.
..	Anna L. Daley (F. Cook)	99	3	..	2½	1ᵇ	1½	1½	Walsh	6-2	11-5
3679	Toll Box (S. C. Hildreth)	107	5	..	5³	5¹	4½	2¹	McCarthy	5	4
3698	Sainvoko (B. Scarcher)	94	1	..	4ᵇ	3²	2²	3ᵃ	Doverich	25	25
3695	Rosevale (T. H. Williams)	101	2	..	3¹	4¹	5ᵃ	4½	Gilbert	12	12
2713	Hannah Louise (Cahill & Co.)	104	4	..	1½	2½	3ᵃ	5¹	Butler	12	12
2160	Erbet (S. Emery)	91	8	..	7½	6ᵃ	6½	6ᵃ	Schmidt	3	7
3507	R. M. Brown (M. J. Daly)	91	7	..	8	7ᵃ	7¹⁰	7¹⁰	Wristen	500	300
3682	Strike Out (F. H. Milden)	99	6	..	6²	8	8	8	Upton	3	3

Daley, place even, show 1-2. Boy, place 6-5, show 3-5. Sainvoko, show 1-2.
At post 4 minutes. Off at 3:57. Time—1:08.
Start good. Won easily, second driving, third easily.
Winner—B. f. by Lissak—Mina Hastings. Trained by F. Rector.

30,000 WATCH NAVY TEAM LOSE TO ARMY WARRIORS

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 28.—The Army defeated the Navy here this afternoon by a score of 6 to 4. Both scores were made in the first half and the second half consisted of a punting duel, the Army being satisfied to maintain its slender lead of two points, which would give them a victory.

In the first half the Navy had a slight advantage in line-bucking and also in kicking, but their disastrous fumble gave the Army its only opportunity of scoring a touchdown.

At no other time was the Navy's goal in serious danger. For the last five minutes of the half there was no attempt made by either team to advance the ball except by kicking. In the second half the Army completely outplayed the Navy. Except for a few minutes that at the close of the half, the ball was always in the navy's territory. There was an almost continuous punting duel between Grebel and Dalton, in which the former outkicked the Navy man.

Stanley Fay Wins Mt. Wilson Handicap

ARCADIA, Nov. 28.—Not fewer than 6,000 racegoers thronged out to Santa Anita Park this afternoon for the running of the Mount Wilson handicap for three-year-olds and upward at a mile and one-eighth. "Red" Walker took the handicap with his Stanley Fay, winner of last summer's Seattle Derby. Ruling 4 to 3 shot, the three-year-old son of Camopus-Agnes D. won a stirring race from Dr. T. J. Childs' Vox Populi, a cast-off from the stable of James R. Keene, quoted at 4 to 1. The St. James stable's Lotus Eater, at 8 to 1, dropped into the third place. Vox Populi made all the running in front to the final furlong pole, where the slow beginning Stanley Fay drew up and in a ding-dong finish won on the post by a nose. Lotus Eater was eight lengths back. The mile and one-eighth was run in 1:52 2-5, the mile being reeled off in 1:38 3-5.

The track was fast and the weather clear and bright. Summaries:

First race, five and a half furlongs, three-year-olds and upward, selling:

Odds.	Horse, Wt.	St.	Str.	Fin.
9-2	Ravaria, 105	3	4 1	1 ½
5-1	Translucent, 107	5	3 ½	2 ¼
10-1	Senalto, 100	6	5 h	3 1

Time—1:06 4-5. All Alone, Orelio, Ted Reach, Butter Str, Golden Rule, Wahoo, Tim O'Toole and Dick Shanrey also ran.

Second race, six furlongs, two-year-olds, non-winners more than two races:

Odds.	Horse, Wt.	St.	Str.	Fin.
1-1	Homecrest, 110	1	1 5	1 4½
5-1	Tom Red, 110	3	2 h	2 1
5-1	Pinfield, 110	4	3 3	3 3½

Time—1:05 2-5. Pert, Fair Annie, Maid of Gotham, The Drake and Oserine also ran.

Third race, one mile, three-year-olds and upward, selling:

Odds.	Horse, Wt.	St.	Str.	Fin.
6-1	Alma Boy, 104	2	1 ½	1 n
3-1	Husky, 107	7	3 h	2 1½
5-1	St. Ilario, 105	4	3 h	3 2

Time—1:39 2-5. Colonel White, Mike Jordan, Complaint and Smirker also ran.

Fourth race, one and one-eighth miles, Mount Wilson handicap, three-year-olds and up:

Odds.	Horse, Wt.	St.	Str.	Fin.
7-20	Stanley Fay, 108	4	2 10	1 n
1-1	Vox Populi, 104	2	1 2	2 8
4-1	Lotus Eater, 104	3	3 10	3 5

Time—1:52 2-5. Miss Lida also ran.

Fifth race, seven furlongs, for three-year-olds and up, selling:

Odds.	Horse, Wt.	St.	Str.	Fin.
12-10	Bellmicke, 109	4	1 1	1 h
7-2	Jamuta, 100	5	2 1	2 1
5-1	Nattie Bumpo, 104	3	3 ½	3 4

Time—1:26. Ambedo, Bud Emby and Carp also ran.

Sixth race, five and one-half furlongs, three-year-olds and up, selling:

Odds.	Horse, Wt.	St.	Str.	Fin.
7-5	La Gloria, 100	1	1 3	1 3
3-1	Lord Nelson, 105	6	4 ½	3 5
12-1	Fleming, 105	11	4 ½	3 5

Time—1:05 2-5. Lee Harrison, Pal, Mantia, Bridgewater, Vivant, Iroquois, Hilgert and Friar of Elgin also ran.

Local Billiardists Seek Match With S. F. Players

(By R. B. BRUNNER.)

Judging by the talk of the various players, the consensus of opinion is that the three-cushion tournament recently finished at the Oakland Billiard Parlors was about the best ever. Well it did have it's good phases and went off very well indeed. In the first place the ticklish part of the whole affair lay fully placing a handicap so test would be assured in a This was accomplished by who were thoroughly well with each man's speed. The opinions were averaged and figures placed on record. That a success is certified by the no instance did a player pro was in too heavy. On the one or two instances the pl was in too light. In every ever, the judgment of the vindicated.

Charley Bogan as a referee cellence. His billiard knowle and thorough. There are that he does not know. Whe a decision there is no vacil is given with such promptn inspires confidence. In all decisions he was forced to was no question raised as t absolutely correct.

Billiard is found to be a re lax tion to many. This, true of him whose ambition is limited to the enjoyme mom nt. To this class the fun to be had that can be Several new faces have show and with names that are w the sporting world. Incidents of these day good games an it interesting for whoever th with. Possibly Ed. Sulall is the crowd in balk line and J and Charley Porter can go so cushions.

Bird Johnson, Charley N Price and Jack Newman c circle and they are all well k make s. Jim Kennedy is an St. Louis and used to be a w three cushion game.

Tourney Sought.

What I have been wanting some time is a scratch tourn cushions arranged between cl ers of both San Francisco a It seems impossible for the get together on any sort of would be a classy affair and despaired of arranging it. On are ready and willing to kind of a game. There is a San Francisco and as yet it h taken up. It is no easy thing San Francisco players out of t They have been so long in a field they have woven a hale game and it would be painful to have their dream dispel don't want to take a chance shown and consequently the stand is at once depressing ing to the outside wanting t They put a price on their e beyond all reason when for the sport should be give effectually kills contests with One ray of light in the glo

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Many Big Matches.

The game of billiards will doubtless live forever. It's merits stand above the petty barpings of narrow minds. It's advocates are, in the main, men of strength. It does not appeal as a rule to one of lesser degree for the very reason that it requires too much hard mental work to excel in the game. This mental condition is the attractive power to the business and professional man. It is a source of relaxation without mental degradation. Most of our professional men play an extremely good game of billiards and enjoy it when they can play in quiet and respectable surroundings. A billiard parlor conducted on those principles is an excellent thing for any community.

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This winter in the East will see many big matches. All the stars are hard at work and it is reported that none have gone back in the game. Sutton, in his practice work, is stronger than ever and Slossen and Hoppe are playing like demons. Schaefer, who has spent some time in Denver recuperating, will return to the game. Parisian stars will also scintillate and all in all the billiard world will have a busy season.

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OAKLAND MAN'S DREAM REALIZED

"I dreamed last night that I was to receive a present of diamonds" remarked J D Blitt of 559 19th street Oakland on Friday evening as he hastened down the aisle of the Columbia Theater to receive at the hands of the Great Fer-Don the $100 diamond locket which this peculiar philanthropist was giving away M Blitt's hand shook with pleasure and his voice trembled as he announced his thanks at being made the recipient of this glittering jewel

Thousands were turned away from the doors of the Columbia Theater on this evening, besides the hundreds inside each of whom cherished the desire that they might possibly be the one fortunate enough to receive the beautiful bauble

Fer-Don's fanciful fads of throwing money away and of giving to charity one-tenth of his earnings have amused all Oakland His popularity here with young and old is not passing but permanent, and together with his marvelous success is not peculiar to Oakland only but a repetition of his success and popularity in all the large cities he has visited

Besides his regular charitable works he has many times amused his audiences by submerging them with showers of silver, throwing it broadcast over all in reach

Besides the talk and demonstrations by The Great Fer-Don each evening the big colored, singing stock company of 30 people are making thousands laugh every week Everyone expects melody and dancing from the real Southern darky and these whom Fer Don has gathered certainly fulfill all expectations and have brought to the Columbia theater an era of prosperity it has never before known

Those who enjoy singing must and fun and sufferers from the blues will find "The Coontown Minstrels" which will be presented the week commencing Monday, November 30 a show that will satisfy the most fastidious taste

The Great Fer-Don's business manager is making arrangements with prominent jewelers and piano merchants to display in their show windows presents which are to be given away at the Columbia Theater in the near future which presents will include diamonds watches and pianos

OPENING DANCE PROVES SUCCESS

Old Reliance Building Was Alive With Beauty and Music.

The opening dance at Rice Institute, Wednesday evening, was a great success. About 200 of the young folks of Oakland congregated to try the old hall. The old Reliance building on San Pablo avenue, so long an empty and forsaken corner, once more rang with the vibrations of life and music as the bevy of young ladies flocked through the beautiful parlors

With good music a perfect floor and a merry lot of young people the evening was a great success and all went home with the feeling that they would have many a pleasant evening there this winter

How Thin People Can Get Fat, Free.

STARTLING EFFECTS OF NEW DISCOVERY WHICH PUTS FLESH ON THIN PEOPLE, INCREASES WEIGHT AND PERFECTS THE FIGURE

Prove It by Sending Coupon Below for a 50c Package, Free

A remarkable, scientific treatment has been found which increases the weight of scrawny or thin people puts flesh on those who have been thin for years whether from disease or from natural tendency. On those by heavy eating dieting or other methods have in vain tried to get fat, on those who feel well but can't get fat and on those who don't feel well and stay thin The

Protone, the Remarkable Tissue Builder, Builds Up Cases Like This in Remarkably Quick Time

new treatment called Protone, is a powerful inducer of nutrition increases all growth, makes perfect the assimilation of food, increases the number of red blood corpuscles and as a necessary result builds up muscle and solid healthy flesh, and rounds out the figure

For women who can never appear stylish with anything they wear because of their thinness this remarkable discovery solves the problem In addition even of 10 or 20 pounds of flesh together with ruddy cheeks works wonders in personal appearance As a beauty maker for the figure it probably cannot be surpassed It will cost you nothing to prove the remarkable effects of this treatment No dieting or eating of particular kinds of food are necessary The treatment is absolutely non-injurious to the most delicate system The Protone Company 374 Protone Bldg Detroit Mich will send to anyone who sends name and address, a free 50c package of Protone (with full instructions) to prove that it does the work They will also send you their book on "Why You Are Thin" free of charge giving facts which will probably astonish you Send coupon below today with your name and address

FREE PROTONE COUPON

The Protone Company 374 Protone Building Detroit Michigan

I want to put more flesh on so please send me a free 50c package of your remarkable scientific discovery Protone all charges prepaid to prove or with your free book telling why I am thin As an evidence of good faith I enclose ten cents to help cover postage and packing

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SPLENDID PUBLIC AVENUE PLANNED BY FRANCE

Great Highway to Consist of Six Roads Absolutely Straight.

(By MARQUIS DE CASTELLANE)

PARIS Nov 28—No American who has ever been in Paris but has admired and traversed from one end to the other the splendid avenue of the Champs Elysees which beginning at the very heart of the great city runs for six kilometres out of the suburban heights known as the Heights of Neurolly

Now there is a project for carrying out the original plan of M Alphand The plan is to continue the great avenue straight away to the forest of Saint Germain a distance of twenty kilometres Delegates have been chosen from the two departments through which this avenue will be cut—in an absolutely straight line mark you—and a commission is studying the ways and means

The immense avenue will have at least six roads—one for carriages one for equestrians one for autos one for electric trams and in addition to the bicycle track the usual sidewalk for pedestrians There will be even a speedway for speed loving motorists and here they may smash themselves up gratis without fear of fine or reproach—and so be it.

Noisy Paris

I am told that the municipality of New York has a police ordinance fining heavily anyone creating a disturbance near a hospital This is a wise and humane provision Parisians should be the first to applaud it since Paris is the noisiest city in the world and becomes daily more dangerous to live in

Another wise measure is signalled from Germany It has to do with the butts of cigars The traffic in them is I believe very profitable Now the Germans wish that these profits should go to the poor In many cafes restaurants and beer halls cigar cutters are inserted in the tables and the cigar end falls into a locker recepticle underneath the table

A charitable society is at work placing these machines for cutting tobacco in all public establishments and beer halls throughout the cigar smoking land The profits on the sale of the tobacco will go to purchase clothes for the poor at Christmas tide According to official reports nineteenth such societies in various towns gathered in 1907 over 460 pounds of tobacco which sold for a little over $6000 a sum sufficient to clothe completely 1700 children

The European powers have given their appreciation to the Turkish revolution The King of England has expressed publicly his appreciation of Khiamil Pacha and the German emperor who has always approved and protected the autocratic government of the Sultan even at the time of the Armenian massacres has congratulated Abdul Hamid upon his unconditional surrender to the revolution

And from all this are we to conclude that the Turkish revolution has succeeded

I seems that before being sure of it we shall have to know what the little nations on the frontiers of Turkey think of it for the Turks have never heeded them save when they wanted to pillage them and massacre them

That is why let them do as they please but let with each other plunder each other keep the peace It was much tempered with massacre" as Dr Hall Barker well defined it

And this state of affairs the English publicist thought was the fault of so much of Abdul Hamid and his predecessors on the throne as it was of Mohammed and the Koran The Koran is the source of all the institutions of the Musselman people—be those institutions religious or political civil or domestic public or private And it does not seem possible that Turkey can be reformed and made into a modern state unless the Turkish religion is changed and the supreme authority of the Koran is abolished But is such an essential reform of Mohamedism possible?

Trouble for France

Edward VII can boast having got France into a pretty mess

Since all the world is agreed that his majesty wishes at any price to remain in German commerce it is only fair to point out that he is trying the most practical way—that of getting other nations to make war on Germany for the good of British commerce and the destruction of the rival

More than that Were France and Germany at war it would be possible for England to stab her rival in the back while the French army was being massacred and thus occupying German attention Of course the results of the plan would be much more certain still if Germany found a third power lined up against her And so forgetting her old age hatred of Russia England has not hesitated one instant to offer friendship to the hated Russians If only they will join her in destroying her terrible commercial rival

Under such circumstances, the European conflagration is inevitable—though it needs courage to say it It is so easy to take refuge in culpable and stupid confidence!

When will the armed conflict take place?

When one bears in mind the trifle has quarrel Germany sought to thrust upon us apropos of the deserters from the foreign legion at Casa Blanca one has the right to answer Europe may be on fire any day any day

ROSE STAHL BREAKS GROUND FOR THEATER

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 28—Surrounded by a crowd of laughing friends and admirers Miss Rose Stahl started the work on the New Columbia theater this morning by turning the first shovelful of dirt

Long before the hour appointed for the turning of the sod a number of spectators had gathered and when Miss Stahl arrived about 10 30 the crowd had swelled to several hundreds

Shortly after the arrival of Miss Stahl a dirt wagon drove up and the star of the China Lady took a regulation laborers shovel and with the aid of Mr Charles Templeton Crocker and Henry J Scott managed to swing a sizeable quantity of earth into the conveyance The dirt was later placed in a silver tea and locked in a safe deposit vault to be used in the corner stone of the building Charles Crocker then presented Miss Stahl with a miniature silver spade as a token of remembrance from the Columbia Theater company

RECORD MORTGAGES INVOLVING $1,575,000

SAN FRANCISCO Nov 28—Two mortgages representing loans to the Lows local millionaires aggregating $1,575,000 were placed on record today The first is executed by Herbert J Lowe and Mrs Grace L Lowe his wife in favor of the New York Life Insurance Company as security for a loan of $1,000,000 upon the Meadows building and lot on Market street Annie and Stevenson streets for a term of ten years and the interest 5½ per cent net

It is Guaranteed by 30 Nights' Free Trial It must please you—must be all you can hoped it would be or your money will be refunded

Surely we have proved our case When you need a mattress the Ostermoor must be your choice if you have read to this point in our story

Freight prepaid to your nearest railroad station

JACKSON'S

Note: We shall for a time have a list of extraordinary bargains that will be offered for Xmas gifts in every advertisement from now until December 25th Watch for them.

What is the Ostermoor Mattress Anyway? Why is it different to and better than all others?

NATURAL QUESTIONS—We get them daily—as they are asked frankly They shall be answered frankly

The beds of our grandfathers—husks straws and then feathers—all have been abandoned as uncomfortable and unclean

During the last century horsehair has been chiefly used until we invented the patented process of softening cotton and working it into Ostermoor Layers that is the most comfortable sanitary and lasting bed

With these three processes have been perfected and preserved to our exclusive use by Government patent until today the Ostermoor is known around the world and has the largest annual sale of any known mattress It is now the accepted standard

See in the picture above how clean and fluffy these Ostermoor layers are made

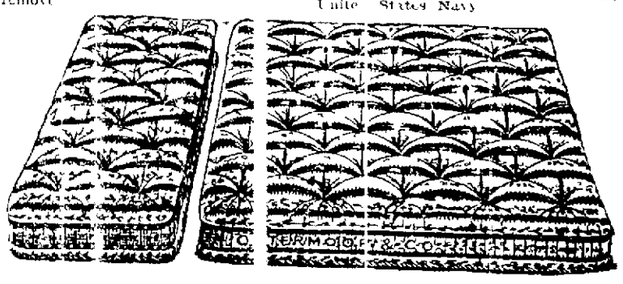
How do they compare with horsehair or any other filling old fashioned mattress which they are being compared?

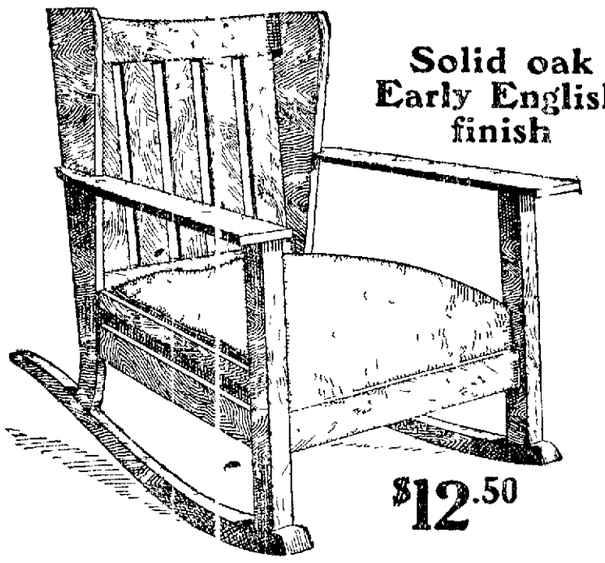
When the eight light Ostermoor layers are hand laid in the open tick they are five times as thick as the finished mattress—then they are gently and evenly compressed by hand thus interlacing the wool by billowy mass into one sheet of uniform thickness Now the tick is hand sewn across both ends and the entire side

So that the Ostermoor Mattress is built—not stuffed

That's what the Ostermoor is and it claims to be the best because it is absolutely clean and sanitary It cannot mat or lump or get lumpy or shift or settle It is not hard or soft it is just right for the proper resting of the sleeper

The Ostermoor is vermin proof It is dust proof and moisture-proof. It cannot harbor germs of disease Half an ounce of moisture will ruin a hair mattress although it will not injure a perfect life preserver We have sold over fifty thousand to the United States Navy





Solid oak Early English finish

$12.50

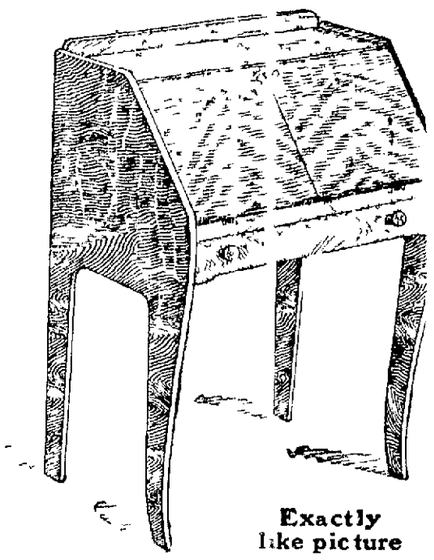
$12.50

Jackson's special Rocker

Just like the illustration and a regular $17 50 value The frame is of solid quartered oak broad and massive, finished in Early English, with seat loose box, with steel springs; upholstered in the best quality of Spanish leather The most comfortable rocker imaginable and one that will last a lifetime

Jackson's special price $12.50

$5 Cash—$1 Week



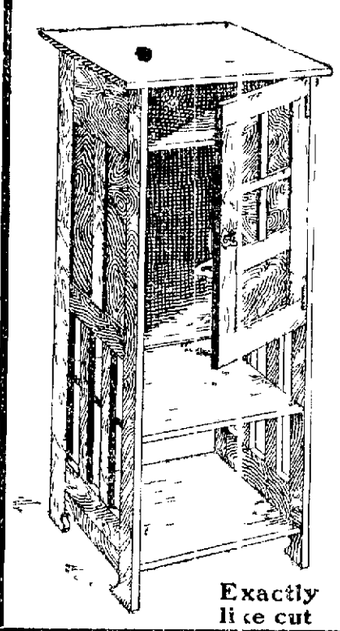
Exactly like picture

Jackson's special Ladies' desk $7.85

This dainty piece of furniture is exactly as shown in the picture. Only 18 of these to be sold They are equally divided in quartered oak, golden finish, polished mahoganized birch and birdseye maple Makes an ideal Christmas gift for a young girl Don't fail to get one of these They are regular $10 value

Jackson's Special price $7.85

$3.00 cash—$1.00 week



Exactly like cut

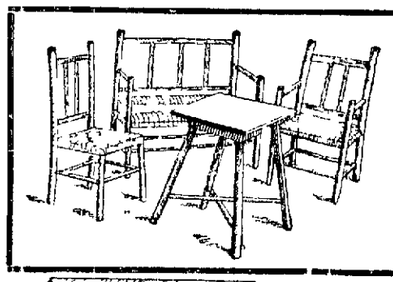
$7.75

Jackson's special Cellarette

Now here's a chance to get a cellarette at a bargain It is made throughout of solid oak, golden or Early English finish—a pretty design Stands 12 inches high, 15 inches wide and 12 inches deep has two magazine shelves below, large closed cupboard with shelf and glass rack, lock on door, it's a mighty value at the regular price of $10

Jackson's special price $7.75

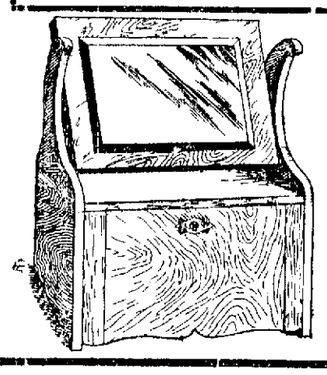
$3.00 cash—$1.00 week



Jackson's Monday Special Old hickory doll set 95c

Here's something every child will appreciate a doll made of the real old hickory with split bottoms, four piece table two chairs and settee table is six inches high with six inch square top chairs, 5¼ inches high seats 5½ inches wide same height as chairs, made fast as strong as the big chairs on sale Monday, terms cash, no telephone or C O D orders Positively no delivery

Note: These sets come in square pasteboard boxes, so can be carried conveniently



Jackson's Special Shaving Cabinet $2.85

Exactly like the picture They are solid oak, in golden and Early English finish, stand 19 inches high, 13 inches wide, 8x9½ inch bevel plate mirror in swinging frame, closed receptacle for holding shaving materials, just the handest thing out for the man who shaves himself It's a regular $5 value

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MURPHY TO MEET EX-BOSS CROKER

No Stock Taken by Political Sages in Report of Change in Tammany Power.

NEW YORK Nov 28—The World says Charles F Murphy will return today from Mount Clemens Mich and is expected to meet Richard Croker this evening at the Democratic Club reception to Croker Friends of both expect that after the meeting, something definite will be forthcoming to dispose of the renewed and persistent rumors about the object of Croker's return Tammany men are sure there will be less talk of Croker's coming back after the boys see the cold cold hard fact So far as the district leaders are concerned no stock has been taken in the talk of Croker's taking hold of Tammany

CHOLERA SPREADING

ST PETERSBURG Nov 28—There were seventeen new cases of cholera and seven deaths in the district during the twenty four hours ending at noon today These statistics are for the capital only

How to Reduce Fat Proportionately

Proportion is the thing A fat woman in Paris Ontario reduced her weight [illegible]

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COUNTESS WOULD REFORM CHICAGO

Noble Hungarian Declares She Will Help Deserving By Selling Jewels.

CHICAGO Nov 28—Cleansing the body and habitation as well as the soul are the expressed purposes of Countess Aurelia S Bethlen, a native of Hungary who came to Chicago yesterday to uplift its inhabitants

The Countess is 35 years old, and speaks thirteen languages and says she once possessed great wealth Proudly she opened a big cloak and displayed the plainest garments There wasn't a sign of jewelry or other adornment She follows what she calls the simple life

Inmates of prisons will be the special objects of her charity She says she still possesses $15 000 worth of jewelry and intends to dispose of it for charity's sake

She visited the young women in Harrison street police station yesterday and gave them a talk which she hopes will help toward converting them in the Bahai religion which she herself embraced three years ago

The Countess says she was formerly maid of honor to the Empress of Austria

CHEERING NEWS FOR THE BANK DEPOSITORS

SAN FRANCISCO Nov 28—At a meeting of the directors of the Depositors' Association of the California Safe Deposit and Trust company held today reports were made that the various assets of the defunct corporation were of great value and would in time benefit those who lost their savings when the institution closed its doors

Julius W Raphael president of the association declared tonight that the bank held at least 16 000 shares of the Western Pacific railroad stock, and that the same was being traded in the open market on a basis of $70 a share He is of the opinion that the stock value will increase

From views made said Mr Raphael I believe that the members of our association will fare rather better than was anticipated I base this statement on the fact that our affairs are in a better condition than first reported We intend following this matter up closely and get the very best results for the members of our organization Our plan is to inaugurate a good forward movement

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As an inducement to new customers, and to test the advertising value of THE TRIBUNE, we make this offer for Monday and Tuesday conditional upon your bringing the advertisement when you make your selection

See my large stock of broadcloths, serges and fancy worsteds—the most comprehensive in Oakland, select one marked $60.00, have it made as you yourself may dictate, and when it is finished if you are not satisfied in every detail, don't pay me a cent. You alone are to be the judge.

Personal attention insures absolute satisfaction, but as we are not infallible, mistakes are rectified and money refunded if you say so.

The Ladies' Tailor Rennacker Take The Elevator

408 San Pablo Avenue

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LUDICROUS INCIDENT OF THE WINE WAR IN HIGH SOCIETY

THE KNAVE

OAKLAND MAN'S COSTLY EXPERIENCE WITH FAIR BUT FALSE AFFINITY

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—The joke is out on our two famous society wine agents, Ned Greenway and Billy O'Connor. Greenway was getting away with so much society wine trade for Mumm that the Cliquot agents looked around for someone to jump in and get a share of the business for "the widow." They hit upon O'Connor, who has the entree and is generally popular. A rivalry at once sprang up.

This week Mrs. Peter Martin gave a dashing dinner to some 75 guests at the big home of Mrs. Eleanor Martin on Broadway. John Tait was employed to serve the feast. Greenway thought the matter over and jumped for the wine. He thought he had it, and winked at his friends as he said:

"Just watch me put it all over O'Connor this time."

But O'Connor was around very blithely on his own business and used up quite a bit of social pull for his champagne. He felt that he had got there; landed; made good. So he said to his friends gleefully:

"I'm not going to do a thing to Greenway at the Martin dinner."

Greenway said to Tait: "Don't spare the wine at that dinner, you know. The more wine, the greater the success."

O'Connor said to Tait: "Keep the glasses full at that dinner. You know how champagne helps out the fun."

Both O'Connor and Greenway attended the dinner. They and the rest of the guests were served with Joe Deering's wine, Moet and Chandon—and Deering doesn't pretend to any social pull. Now everybody is wondering how the trick was turned. The tip is out that the elder Mrs. Martin, wisest of them all, kept the friendships of both Greenway and O'Connor by slipping in the neutral vintage. But then—Jack Tait and Joe Deering are great friends.

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The fight over our peacocking Chief of Police, Biggy, has caused a lot of bitterness among the goodly people who put him in the job and now are fearfully divided as to whether or not they shall put him out. But it has been productive of one jest that is going up and down the streets and gets a laugh even from the Biggy supporters. It is Gavin McNab again who is responsible—though he denies all responsibility for Biggy.

"Don't you think Biggy is a cat's paw in this?" asked a visitor to McNab in the heat of debate.

"I know he's not," retorted the Scot, emphatically.

"How do you know he's not a cat's paw?"

"Because zoology teaches that a cat's paw and an ass' head never grow on the same animal."

The jest carries the mind back to the days of 1798, when the Bank of England had suspended specie payments and when Spanish dollars were sent to the English mint to have the head of George III stamped on the neck of Charles IV to make a five-shilling piece. Then ran the doggerel rhyme in London town:

"To make a dollar of Spain for five shillings to pass,
Stamp the head of a fool on the neck of an ass."

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Up and down the State our ministers are to the fore again, mixing in the politics of the time, denouncing and advising and forgetting entirely the golden precepts of the Master about the forgiveness of enemies and the prayers for "those who despitefully use you." Meantime the pews do not fill any more than of old, and among book agents the Bible agent bears the same relation as the whisky drummer does to other drummers.

Some time another reformation will come along and the ministers will be forced to attend to the things of the spiritual that they are presumed to know something about and to let alone political scraps and newspaper controversies on which they are more grossly ignorant than any other class of men. It was Lord Clarendon who long ago said:

"Clergymen understand the least and take the worst measure of human affairs of all mankind that can read and write."

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It is told among the knowing ones that Col. Daniel M. Burns is managing the race track fight and is to take up the burden of killing off the anti-race track bill at the forthcoming session of the Legislature. Incidentally, W. F. Herrin is coming home next week.

Herrin and Burns are now understood to be friends again. They have met and shaken hands. But some of the "regulars" are saying that too much is being taken for granted in the track's fight, and that Senators who are counted on as sure to stand by racing are not at all inclined that way.

The fight is to be made in the Senate, no attention being paid to the House—as per usual. An Assemblyman is generally mighty small potatoes at Sacramento, and the coming session as yet offers no exception to the rule. But in the Senate the margin in favor of racing has never been counted very large, and some of the "wise guys" of politics are certain that margin has been wiped out altogether.

Rudolph Spreckels has some horses at Arcadia, but he is fighting the tracks now and declares it a certainty that a year from now there will be no racing in California. He says he will sell his nags if he can get any kind of a price for them, but if not he will give them to his trainer to do with them as he pleases. Evidently there is to be good fighting at Sacramento next January and February.

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The brilliant Larry Harris has brought back from the South a good one on Los Angeles. Last week they had a great boosting day, on which the general slogan was "Buy and Boost for Los Angeles." They had a big procession. Stores closed. Banners waved. Bands played. Up and down went the shouters. The orators advised all to buy home products—none but home products.

But the feature of the day, more notable than the procession, the orators, the bands or the banners, was the big button that was worn on every breast—on every man, woman and child who were thus pledging themselves to buy Los Angeles goods and boost the city by buying them. The button bore the legend of the day: "Buy and Boost for Los Angeles."

It was made in Cincinnati!

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The graft prosecution has stuck its Cyrano nose into another matter that doesn't concern it at all—the struggle of the merchants of San Francisco against the proposed raise in railroad freight rates. Ordinarily you wouldn't think such a thing possible, but it is so.

The traffic bureau of the Merchants Exchange has started its crusade and secured the services of Seth Mann as its attorney. That is wisdom. Seth Mann nominated Franklin K. Lane for Governor and is one of his closest friends. Lane is an Interstate Commerce Commissioner. The fight must come on before the Interstate Commerce Commission.

But the wild-eyed "reformers" who have attached themselves like leeches to the graft prosecution have fancied that they saw some of the "higher-ups" in this move of the merchants, who have R. P. Rithet at their head. So, through Isidor Jacobs and his satellites, they have been charging the Merchants Association with bad faith and trying to get up a little sideshow of their own.

Few more asinine exhibitions have been seen in this city than this posing of Jacobs and the moribund "Call" as the only S mon-pure friends of the people. The merchants ought to give the "Call" a sound spanking.

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A sort of notion prevails among old-fashioned Americans that the right of free speech is one of the bulwarks of the country—one of liberty's foundation stones. It is felt that in this land of the free and the home of the brave a man can say about what he pleases and get away with it if somebody does not punch him in the nose.

But our graft prosecution administration has an entirely different idea of the American principle. With them the only persons having the right to express opinions are those who sympathize with the doctrine that everybody is guilty until he is proven innocent. To hold opinions contrary to those held by Burns, Spreckels and the rest is to commit lese majeste in its worst form.

A case in point is that of the Kearny street saloon keeper who dared to express sympathy for Haas and to indulge in the opinion that he had been goaded into his crazy shooting of Heney. That isn't a good view to take, though it is secretly held by a good many people. But surely a free American has the right to speak his opinion on any subject not treasonable. Not so in this case, for the chauffeur of Burns overheard the saloon man make his remark and complained. That was enough. The Police Commissioners took away the saloon man's license and ruined his business—all because he had exercised the American right of free speech. I wonder what old Whiskers Joe Leggett thinks of his own action in the matter. He's always been roaring around about freedom and justice and the like, while the wind blew through his harlequins.

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The recent reprimanding of the son of Admiral Evans for his fondness for the bottle reminds me that while the fleet was in San Francisco harbor this young cub Evans came mighty near getting into serious trouble, and had he been anyone else than the son of his father he would have been soundly punched and then complained against.

The young fellow is just a plain, drunken nuisance who acts like a hoodlum when in his cups. His chief offense while here was in the Bohemian Club, that had thrown open its hospitable doors to the officers of the fleet and made all welcome. Evans got drunk there, grossly insulted several dignified members and challenged some of the liveliest men to fight. He came within an ace of being hustled aside and thumped. But the matter was glossed over because of his father and the time. Evidently, however, the young man had better be put to hard work. He is no ornament to the navy.

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There is the finest kind of rivalry between the down-town merchants and the Fillmore street merchants as to which shall get the crowd on New Year's Eve. The result promises to be the most brilliant function the city ever has known on the last night of the year. Money is to be more freely spent than ever before and brains are being racked for new features.

The down-towners have sentiment on their side and they are making the most of it. Getting the city life back to Market street has become a sort of crusade among the citizens, and the down-town merchants have risen to their opportunity. They expect to have nearly 1000 decorated automobiles in their parade with 200 musicians playing at different stations and then to join in one great band at midnight, marching up and down playing America's national anthem, "There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight."

Two thousand dollars is to be expended in stringing electric lights on Market, Kearny, Sutter, Post, Geary and Stockton streets and Grant avenue. The Chinese are to illuminate their quarter and to turn out a great dragon. Seats at the restaurants are being engaged at $5 the plate, and evidently we are to have the grandest night the city has ever known.

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Affinities are a costly plaything. If you have any doubt on the subject just ask one of your younger foundry men over in the city of Oakland. It has only been a few years ago since he was a good mechanic with an ambitious wife. The good little woman did all of her own housework when he started in business and at night kept the books for the firm. They prospered, but they were not happy.

Two reasons entered into the unhappiness. One was that the husband had a crabbed disposition and the other was that his wife was entirely too plain for his growing tastes. Then came neglect, a divorce and to the horror and shame of all his friends, a pittance of $75 a month in alimony for the support of the neglected wife and the education of their child.

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Someone said that six feet of earth make everyone of one size. A homely and a hackneyed sentiment which must go into oblivion to make room for a new axiom. It is that one affinity is a better leg puller than the stretchers who have made Spreckels' leg famous.

This foundry man found his affinity. She left a husband to carry on her campaign. It was a brief but thorough campaign. The foundry man spent money as if he had a mint behind him.

When the fair lady had other things to attract her she would make a date with him and at half an hour to the dot of the time she was to be in Oakland would phone from this city to him in Oakland saying she was sick and could not keep the appointment. Then she had her pleasure, her wine suppers and other details that suggested self to herself and her picked up affinity so far as the foundryman's money would reach.

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But everything has an end. The foundry man wanted to marry the affinity and he waxed warmer in his appeals. It was nip and tuck for more than a month. Then the affinity won. The foundry man gave her $600 to go to Los Angeles to rest up and have some friends help with the trousseau. He was to go there to be married and had planned for a four months tour in Mexico. Another $500 followed for some other necessities. On the same day that another demand for money reached him he found that the affinity had stopped off in Fresno and married a barber. The next shock was the appearance on the scene of the first husband. He was taken into the confidence of the foundryman as a consolation.

Two weeks ago the former husband was sent to Fresno to find the affinity and was to tell her that unless she sent back all the money she had received she was to be prosecuted for obtaining money under false pretenses. This cost the foundry man $50. He waited for thirty-six hours, watching every train for the return of the couple. He finally received another telegram from the husband stating that he would have to wire him $50 more. That was a week ago, and no one has turned up.

And this is the story of your foundry man and his affinity. He has had the experience and his bookkeeper says it cost him $6000. He has no one to sympathize with him, but there are plenty to laugh.

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The Rev. Dr. Matthews of Seattle spared Oakland the violent crusade on anti-race track subjects which he promised up north and which the papers of his native city announced was to be launched in California. Dr. Matthews is a power in his community, is a wise and a practical preacher. He lived in Kentucky for a long time and there were a number of old Kentuckians who just smiled when the crusade did not materialize.

He said as much about the subject as any minister would who was forced to declare principles. Everybody missed a good lively episode because he welched.

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It is about time that eastern theatrical managers are due to have a lesson taught them regarding nine-tenths of the road shows they are flooding the coast with in these times. Just why good plays that have had preserving successes because of good features should be shipped our way as vehicles for homely chorus girls and voice monstrosities in stellar roles can only be figured out that the managers think coast audiences are rank heathens. Some of these aged up-to-date musical plays are worse than barn-storming companies. They don't seem to have an excuse for existing. And it is these plays which seem to predominate and for which we have to pay the same prices asked east when they were staged and sung as great big drawing shows.

It becomes necessary to know who does it and then what are you going to do about it? And that's about all.

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After all his denunciation of corporation hirelings in politics it turns out that Theodore Bell is an attorney for the Western Pacific. He is one of the railroad attorneys whom he charged with betraying the people, and whom he boasted he would drive out of the Democratic party and out of politics.

While Bell was ranting and roaring all this fustian he had the price in his pocket. He was on the roll of corporation lawyers, and, measured by his own rule, unworthy of trust.

Bell fell quicker and hit the ground harder than any man that ever rose to political eminence in California. His rise was due to the possession of certain talents which pass for a time in the crowd for genuine ability. He is a clever talker, a good mixer and a great "jiner." But he soon wears himself out because he has neither stability of character nor does he always show honesty of purpose in his politics. He is neither loyal nor truthful. He owes his fall to his fatal egotism, his treachery, insincerity and his efforts to play to the gallery.

Bell owed his election to Congress to Hearst and Herrin, on whom he turned the moment it served his turn to do so. It

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was to serve his ambition and the Western Pacific that he jumped into the fight for Governor in 1906. He connubiated with the political managers of Governor Johnson of Minnesota, and then suddenly switched behind Bryan and made a fight on his political backer, Gavin McNab, in the hope of gaining control of the Democratic organization and getting in line for the Senatorship or a cabinet office in the event of Bryan's election. His excuse for making sudden war on McNab and his allies was that he had dedicated himself to purging the Democratic party of corporation lawyers and railroad influence.

And Bell is a railroad lawyer himself. No wonder he has become a by-word throughout the State. The term "false alarm" fits him exactly.

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A friend in Los Angeles writes to ask me why we San Franciscans continue to tolerate "that relic of Ruefism, Biggy," at the head of the police department.

Wouldn't that jar you!

I don't myself understand why we tolerate either Burns or Biggy, but how in the name of plumduff and Isidor Jacobs did the idea ever get abroad that Biggy is a relic of Ruefism? Biggy is no relic of Ruefism. He is not a relic of anything. He is just Biggy, a man who has an unbroken record of betraying every friend and every man who trusted him.

Burns picked out Biggy as an elisor to take charge of Abe Ruef during the months that Ruef was the graft prosecution's petted prisoner of state, the star immunity witness against the higher-ups.

As a reward for his faithful service as Ruef's jailer, Rudolph Spreckels and Burns made him chief of police in place of that unspeakable mutt, Jerry Dinan.

But after getting the chief's baton, Biggy renigged on his contract and refused to take orders from Burns, who was ineligible under the Spreckels' choice for chief, but who was ineligible under the charter. Ever since he repudiated the overlordship of Burns, the Call has been banging away at Biggy and the police commissioners, who refuse to depose him to make way for a man who will submit to the control of Burns.

That is why the District Attorney's office is enlisted in the fight against Biggy. Langdon announces that the chief of police must take orders from the District Attorney, which is one way of saying he must let Burns run.

No, my Angeleno friend, Biggy is not a relic of Ruefism, and he is tolerated solely for the enemies he has made. His sole claim to sympathy is the kind of a fight being made on him and the reasons why the fight is made.

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CARNEGIE'S VIEWS AFFECT STOCKS

Market Irregular and Uncertain Because of Magnate's Idea of Duty on Steel.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Last week's reaction in stock was extended under the influence of early apprehension regarding the effect of Andrew Carnegie's advocacy of an abolition of duties on steel on the revision of the tariff. A violent rebound was caused by the listing of Southern Pacific stock for provision to meet the exchange privilege of the preferred stock, the inference being drawn that an important financial plan was to follow. After the rebound the market was unsettled and irregular. The Erie bond issue and the New York City and Denver and Rio Grande bonds sales served notice of the capital requirements to be met. Continuous sales of American securities from foreign sources kept up the rate of exchange to near the gold export point.

RIFLERS TO BANQUET

The annual banquet and King shoot of the Shell Mound Pistol and Rifle Club will be held next Sunday at Shell Mound Park. It will also be the occasion for the distribution of prizes for the year. The rifle champion this year will be the member who makes the largest total of seven best scores of the year on the 100-yard rifle range. The pistol champion will be the member making the largest total of fourteen best scores during the year on the 50-yard pistol range.

SAN FRANCISCAN'S SONG MAKES A BIG HIT

Musical critics of San Francisco are commenting on "Star Eyes," the latest of song hits, which has just appeared from the pens of three San Franciscans. The composition is of an Indian romance, and it bids fair to be one of the greatest two-step song hits which has ever appeared on the coast. That characterizing irresistibleness in its bright and catchy air cannot escape those who know how to whistle.

C. O. Clausen, who has earned a name with his cornet as an entertainer, is the composer of the new hit. The words are by Alf Clark, who shows his talent in the few lines. The music is cleverly arranged by John H. Bruns, who has been a prominent figure in recent social as a pianist.

The Rialto Publishing company, which is producing the new hit, has announced that it will shortly negotiate with the managers of the local playhouses for the production of "Star Eyes." The directors of the music corporation are W. B. Clausen, Alfred Clark, J. H. Bruns and C. O. Clausen.

CROKER STANDS DURING RIDE IN THE SUBWAY

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Although he had been in the city nearly a week, it was not until yesterday that Richard Croker took a ride in the subway. He made the trip from the Grand Central station at Forty-second street to Wall street, but gave up his seat to an old woman, and was forced to stand up during most of the ride. The subway was not built when Mr Croker left America to make his home in Ireland.

NARROW GAUGE WILL BE CHANGED

Trains Will Be Run Over the Old Line to Santa Cruz.

SAN JOSE, Nov. 28.—Paul Shoup of the Southern Pacific company is authority for the announcement this afternoon that the Santa Cruz road, known as the old narrow gauge, will be open for passenger traffic from San Francisco through by May 1. The road has been fully inspected, plans for its complete broad-gauging and the further widening of the long tunnels determined upon, and everything approved by the general manager. Trains will run from San Francisco by way of Los Gatos, over the Mayfield-Los Gatos cut-off, and close connections will be made by trains from this city. The run to Boulder Creek will be made in the same time as to Santa Cruz, and visitors to the big basin park can leave either San Francisco or this city in the morning and reach the park in time for luncheon at noon.

MEAT SUPPLY MENACED.

ST. PETERSBURG, Nov. 28.—The meat supply of St. Petersburg is menaced by an outbreak of the rinder pest, cases of which have been found among cattle brought in from Amolisk province. The city authorities have given orders that all cattle arriving here be inspected carefully and that every animal coming from Amolisk be destroyed.

JUDGE GRAHAM DENIES CHICO WOMAN DIVORCE

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Superior Judge Graham today denied to Mrs. Florence A. Voss, wife of Carl C. Voss, a Chico grocer, a divorce on the ground the court believed Mrs. Voss had come to San Francisco solely to get a decree. Judge Graham says this city is not to be made a dumping ground for divorce and for those who wish to escape notoriety by seeking a decree of separation away from their own county.

"I am of the opinion," he said, "that the plaintiff in this case came to this county for the sole purpose of obtaining a divorce and is not a bona fide resident within the meaning of section 128, C. C.

"Courts should look with disfavor upon applications made under those circumstances. The application for a divorce is denied."

Suits for divorce filed today were: Bertha against George Torrey, cruelty; Marie against Robert Bailey, desertion; Edith L against James Harry McCulloy, cruelty.

CHARGE THAT FOLLOWED AUTO RACE WITHDRAWN

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 28.—Herr Neumyer, a director in the Benz Automobile Company, who preferred charges against Felice Nazarro, the driver of a Fiat car, who won third place in the Grand Prize automobile race on Thanksgiving day, withdrew them today at a meeting of the contest committee of the Automobile Club of America. It was alleged that Nazarro had received outside assistance in putting on a tire during the race, and was thus disqualified. The withdrawal of the charges is equivalent to an exoneration.

ALL CAN ENTER THEIR PIGEONS

Outside Fanciers Will Put Birds Into the Oakland Show.

Many of the fanciers, including those in Seattle, Vancouver, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles and the bay cities, have signified their intention of exhibiting at the Oakland pigeon show to be held December 9 to 13 inclusive. The exhibition will be held under the auspices of the California Pigeon Club, whose membership extends throughout the Pacific Coast, but all fanciers are invited to enter birds for competition.

The show is to be held at Twelfth and Harrison streets, where a fine exhibition hall has been secured on the ground floor. Prizes have been offered for the novice, one who has never exhibited before. In addition to the prize certificates there will be fourteen handsome silver trophy cups to be awarded to the best birds in the different varieties.

The premium list, containing the rules and regulations of the show, will be mailed free to anyone interested in the coming show by applying to the secretary, William T. Frost, 1079 Broadway, Oakland.

MILLIONAIRE DIES.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Charles H. Full, millionaire retired banker, one of the oldest citizens of Illinois, died last night in Quincy at the age of 86. He had been interested in many of Quincy's big business projects and had been an officer and trustee of many public institutions.

PROGRAM PREPARED FOR TANFORAN AUTO

The program for the two days' meeting to be held at the racetrack on Saturday and Sunday, December 5 and 6, has been issued. There are twenty events listed, of these will be exhibitions by the team consisting of Walter Christoney, Oldfield and Charles Soules, whom has a special racing car. There will be a speedster event, and will be a race for electric motor cars, a motor cycle race. The other events will be for touring cars and roadsters, various prices and horsepower. Oldfield's skill as a driver has been acknowledged everywhere since motor racing became a sport. In the races for the wind driven six-cylinder and figure 8 cars it will be able to show the best time accomplished at any of the recent Oldfield's car is known as "Lightning Bug" and it will be driven in exhibition against time and also in special speed contests, in which he will be accompanied by Oldfield's car is known as "Red Devil" will also take part.

TWENTY-ONE DOLLARS FOR TEDDY'S AUTOGRAPH

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Twenty-one dollars was the price paid yesterday for a letter written by Theodore Roosevelt, dated Sagamore Hill, Oyster Bay, October 10, 1888, in which Mr. Roosevelt criticised President Cleveland. The name each time he used it was "Cleveland." The letter was negotiated at an auction of autograph collectors in Brooklyn.

STATE BUYS BONDS.

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 28.—The State Board of Examiners today purchased $10,000 worth of Wilmington municipal bonds.

TERMS MURDER DOMESTIC CRIME

Judge Refuses to Impose the Death Penalty on Man Who Killed Wife.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—While not condoning the so-called "unwritten law," Judge McSorley drew a distinction between what he terms "domestic crime" and an "anti-social crime" yesterday in sentencing Santo Porcaro to twenty-five years in the penitentiary. The defendant shot and killed his wife and severely wounded Frank D. Trento, who boarded at their house, July 22.

Porcaro accused Di Trento of alienating his wife's affections. In deciding the case Judge McSurely said:

"This defendant has pleaded guilty to having murdered his wife as charged in the indictment. It rests with the court to determine his punishment. The case more properly comes under the classification of a domestic crime as distinguished from a crime distinctly anti-social.

"The man, having no criminal instincts at all, may be driven to the commission of crime where the sanctity of his home is invaded. This seems to be a primary instinct and is confined to no one class in society. Taking all these facts into consideration, the court will not impose the death penalty in this case, but will sentence the defendant to the penitentiary for twenty-five years."

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Sterling Talcum Jars ..... 75c to $1.25
Sterling Powder Jars ..... 75c to $1.00
Sterling Tooth Brush Holders ..... 75c to $1.25
Sterling Whisk Brooms ..... $1.50 to $2.00
Clothes Brushes ..... $3.50 to $5.00
Hat and Velvet Brushes ..... $1.00 to $2.50
Work Box Sets ..... $1.25 to $5.00
Picture Frames ..... $1.50 to $15.00
Napkin Rings ..... $1.25 to $5.00
Children's Mugs ..... $3.00 to $7.50
Nail Buffers ..... 75c to $3.50

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Not the ordinary cotton filled ones. These are filled with fine carded lamb's wool fleece, very warm, light and fluffy, covered with fine batiste in a fine variety of patterns; double bed size—**SPECIAL AT $4.00 AND $5.00.**

Handkerchiefs for the Holidays

As our customers know, we are especially strong in this branch of the business. Handkerchiefs always make an acceptable gift, and this season we have outdone ourselves in the matter of assortment, variety, price, range and pattern. We have them boxed and unboxed, plain and fancy embroidered and colored.

Children's Goods; they come in fancy boxes, plain, fancy embroidered and colored borders; 3 in a box, 15, 20 and 25 CENTS THE BOX.

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A large variety of patterns in hand-embroidered Initials in Arabian lawn, Shamrock lawn and Belfast sheer linen, 25 CENTS EACH.

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Real Madeira Hand-embroidery, 50c, 75c and $1.00 Up
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Solid Gold Hair Barettes ..... $2.00 to $7.50
Solid Gold Back Combs ..... $3.50 to $10.00
Neck Chains ..... $3.00 to $7.50
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Jewel Cases and Boxes—**$2.00 to $5.00.**
Stick Pin Cases and Collar Button Boxes—**$1.25, $1.75, $2.50 to $7.50.**
Shaving Pads—**50c to 75 CENTS.**
Telephone Registers—**50c to 75 CENTS.**
Medicine Cases from 3 to 12 bottles—**$1.00 to $6.50.**
Pocket Flasks—**$1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $2.50, $3.75, $5.00 to $10.00.**
Photo Case Folders, for 2 to 6 pictures—**75c to $7.50.**
Coat Hanger Sets in leather cases—**$1.50 to $7.00.**
Gentlemen's Letter Cases—**$1.00 to $10.00.**
Bill Books—**$3.50 to $5.00.**
Cigar Cases—**$1.50 to $10.00.**
Poker Sets—**$6.00 to $50.**
Domino Sets—**$2.50 to $3.50.**
Pinochle Sets—**$2.50 to $3.50.**
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LORD SACKVILLE ROMANCE AGAIN IN COURT

Divorce Tribunal to Hear the Strange Spanish Love Affair of Lord Retold.

BATTLE WILL BE FOR PEERAGE AND ESTATE

E. H. Sackville-West of Madrid Urges Claim as Noble's Lawful Son.

LONDON Nov. 28 — The Sackville romance is up again. The claim to the Barony of Sackville is to be tried before the divorce division of the high court of Chancery and in the processes of the trial there will be retold the strange story of the Spanish love affair of Lord Sackville, who as Sackville-West, English ambassador to Washington, figured so prominently in the international comities of England and the United States in 1888 when his diplomatic career was tragically brought to a close by the return of his passport by the American government.

The plaintiff is the present remarkable case is a former resident of Madrid, Ernest Henry Sackville-West, who seeks a declaration that he is the legitimate eldest son of the deceased Lord Sackville-West a cousin of the claimant and nephew of the dead Lord

Peers Love for Dancer

The case will be bitterly fought, as it involves not only a peerage, but estates of great value, including "Lordly Knole." A mass of evidence has accumulated and the case is likely to be greatly prolonged.

The character of this romance of the peerage, which involved the love of a British peer for a beautiful Spanish dancer, has been intimated previously in the English courts. The present plaintiff in 1903 endeavored to secure his right to the peerage and to establish testimony concerning the validity of the marriage of his mother to Lord Sackville, with a view of establishing his claim to the estate and titles of his father upon the latter's death. The plaintiff, in his claim, alleged that Lord Sackville married Josephine Duran De Ortega, dancer, in 1884 or 1885, either in Spain or France, and that he, the plaintiff, was Ernest, the son of that marriage

Denies Marriage

The defendant, in opposing this claim, contended that Lord Sackville was never married, that Josephine Duran on January 10, 1851, was married to Juan Antonio De Olivia and that this marriage was existing at the time of her alleged marriage with Lord Sackville. The court, decided that the right to perpetuate testimony should not be granted, as the only question involved was the legitimacy of the plaintiff and the validity of his mother's marriage and the immediate judicial determination that the question could be obtained under the legitimate declaration act.

The case when it comes to trial will arouse the greatest interest. The marriage is supposed to have occurred while Lord Sackville was an attache of the British Embassy in Madrid. The alleged wife at that time being one of the most popular dancers in Spain. The plaintiff who is thirty-nine years old, has lived mostly on the Continent. He expects to prove that his mother was publicly acknowledged by Lord Sackville as his lawful wife and himself as Sackville's lawful son. The point around which the case revolves is an erasure made in the registry of the marriage of 1851, the claimant maintaining that the entry is a forgery while the heir presumptive contends that it has not been tampered with

Lordly Knole was once the palace of the archbishop of Canterbury. In 1567 or 1569, Queen Elizabeth granted the house and maintenance of Knole to her cousin Thomas Sackville and for four centuries Knole has belonged to the Sackvilles and during the whole of that period the time honored archiepiscopal palace has been gradually transformed into a stately home of English art. Its practically priceless contents have been valued at something like $5,000,000.

Is Restored to Royal Favor

The portraits are of Grand Duke Cyrill of Russia now restored to imperial favor and the Grand Duchess. She was the divorced wife of his brother and it was on her account that Cyril was stripped of his honors and sent into exile

KAISER'S MEN SENT TO BUILD AN AUTO ROAD

BERLIN Nov. 28.—A regiment of technical troops has been ordered to the Kaiser's hunting domain Schorfheide to construct an automobile road but capable of being used as a strategic road for army use.

The road which will be twenty-seven feet broad lies through a dense forest and is seventeen miles long.

The Imperial order says that the roadbed must be as flat and even as a billiard table and capable of standing the very roughest use by automobiles and war machines.

LITTLE NATIONS READY FOR ACTION

Turkey, Servia and Montenegro League to Repel Advance of Armies.

ALL EUROPE BELIEVES THAT WAR IS INEVITABLE

Every County Concerned Has Fighting Capacity Increased to the Limit.

LONDON Nov. 28.—The Balkan crisis has reached its most acute stage so acute in fact that only the most optimistic believe a general conflagration in Southeastern Europe can be avoided.

If the report which comes from Paris that Turkey, Servia and Montenegro have formed a military alliance against Austria be true then the news is grave indeed.

So general is the expectation of war that the Vienna bourse is practically in panic. Austrian warships are hurrying to Dulcigno. Franz Joseph has ordered his war cabinet to Budapest and Austrian troops are being hurried to the threatened districts.

An Experts Review

Reports are coming here from officials of European nations in Servia and Montenegro. A military attache of one of the European embassies has been with the armies from day to day watching the warlike preparations. He has explained the military situation along the whole length of the Austrian border. He said:

Austria has moved her armies to the frontiers of both Servia and Montenegro. Bosnia and Herzegovina are heavily garrisoned. 18,000 troops have been sent there. A week while Austria is in position to throw 120,000 soldiers across the Danube into Servia within seventy-two hours if necessary, sending gunboats in the River Danube directly occupy all the strategic points.

Montenegro troops have occupied the Tuzi pass with the frontier force of 8000 men being sufficient to hold the pass against forces three or four times as great. Heavy guns have been mounted on its slopes commanding the Austrian seaport of Cattaro on the Adriatic.

Preparations Complete

The Montenegro ministry of war has ordered sixty two new machine gun divisions to be prepared by January 1 and thirty-eight more by February 1. Preparations for mobilizing are complete. Arms and ammunition factories have been ordered to complete their current work in three weeks.

The Austrian population of the port of Cattaro are in a state of panic. Aeroplanes, a bombardment from Montenegro artillery. The Austrian officers have sent away their wives and children and have even shipped away their household effects. Steel clad bullet proof shelter huts are being erected by the Austrian troops all along the frontier.

Servian preparations are equally thorough. It is officially reported that Servia withdrew the special troops posted along the frontier four weeks ago and that the reservists recently called to the colors have been dismissed. This official statement is taken strictly in the diplomatic sense. It is known for a certainty that Servia's entire army is practically on a war footing and the reservists are under orders to take the field in forty-eight hours.

Held Up Communication

Six weeks ago Servia was ready for war but her army was without ammunition. She had placed extensive orders in Germany for guns and ammunition but in the first stages of the crisis early in October the Austrian government stopped the shipments by rail through Austria.

This compelled Servia to make other arrangements and it is certain that an understanding with Turkey. The German firm shipped the guns and ammunition to Salonica by sea and in the first three weeks this war material has been carried in Servia by and through Turkish territory. Servia has worked in having of forty carloads of war munitions a week for three weeks and the supplies are still coming.

Turkey's army practically has been mobilized since October 15. There have been heavy movements of troops and guns to Salonica. An entire army corps has quietly been brought from Angora in Asia Minor and moved to Salonica where the railroad train service is in readiness to move them a month. Cavalry corps have been mobilized at Adrianople and in other parts in Macedonia.

Now these military preparations have been in progress for some time. The Ministry of War at Vienna is aware of this and realized that Servia and Montenegro have been eager for war from the day the annexation of Bosnia and Herzegovina was proclaimed. But these two little states realized their impotence against the huge military machine of Austria. Therefore they waited for Turkey to further their ends.

It is the belief that if Turkey had been ready when the Porte came to realize that the power could not do anything to compel Austria to make all reparation for the seizure of the two provinces, he would draw the sword."

Queen Publishes Gift Book

The most remarkable publication in the year in the Christmas gift book world. Photographs book is sold at sixty cents the proceeds of the quiet charities. The photograph book represents intimate handiwork of the work. This picture shows the little Czarevitch with his sailor friend

All Women Are Liars, Declares Nameless Italian Philosopher

He Insists That Females Cannot Live Without Incessant and Useless Fibbing.

MILAN Nov. 28.—The Stampa newspaper prints an interesting essay by an Italian philosopher, who wishes naturally to be nameless, on "Woman as Liars."

"I could never bring myself to condemn lying," says the essayist. "For in doing so I would condemn women. No woman can get along without lying at least a hundred times a day.

"Only fools and children are affronted by women's little falsehoods for fools and children do not understand women at all. A man who is a man rather delights in women's lies. He expects to be flattered regarding his wife or his sweethearts or his infinite precautions as part of the delicate comedy of life.

"Perhaps after all men are to blame women when they only love the women who flatter them while telling stories about other women who happen to be present. As to the libel perpetrated by pretty lips they resemble the innocent yet cruel prattling of a little child uttered by accident. Whenever a woman vilifies another woman, rest assured that to her own mind, she speaks the truth and nothing but the truth. I recall the saying of an eighteenth century philosopher:

"A woman discussing other women, speaks her mind only when she represent to and acts in good faith only when she libels the other women

CZARINA'S OFFICER FOUT IN BAD REDIC MENT

VIENNA Nov. 28.—Baron Sergius Reitzel the Czarina's master of ceremonies to the Czarina has met with an unpleasant adventure.

He had been intrusted with a political message to Constantinople, and while on his journey made a detour to Budapest where he unwittingly tendered our Austrian coin in payment of a bill and was arrested.

He explained that he was unaware that the money was spurious but that he received it in exchange at a fashionable restaurant where he had visited.

He refused to give his identity and his status was verified by forthcoming a Baron Reitzel and was released.

WEDDING PARTY DROWNS IN HYDERABAD FLOODS

CALCUTTA Nov. 28.—Further tragedies of the flood which devastated Hyderabad are coming to light. In one place a marriage ceremony was in progress when the rain came in torrents swept away the bride and bridegroom. Another marriage party was in a house of ill fame which they were at it fell suddenly killing a couple and women swept along in the rushing torrent. The ventilator pipe clutched the swept into a tree in the flood.

BRITISH RUSH NEW VESSELS FOR NAVY

German War Scare Causes the Admiralty to Hurry With Construction.

NATIONS ARE RACING FOR NAVAL SUPREMACY

Kaiser Building Nine of the Dreadnoughts, While Edward Has Same Number.

By Cable to The Tribune.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—Owing to England's persistent bugaboo of a war with Germany the Admiralty is feverishly active in building and launching new vessels of war.

The premier himself attended the launching of the leviathan battleship Collingwood. The keel plates were laid in January and the vessel launched nine months later a record in battleship construction.

The Collingwood when finally completed will have cost $10,000,000. England's total expenditure on her navy this year has been a trifle under $150,000,000. The amount of $47,500,000 was appropriated for construction of new vessels this year.

Collingwood Is Latest

The gigantic Collingwood is reported to be the latest word in battleship design. Her displacement will be 19,250 tons, heavier than the Dreadnought by 2,000 tons. The Dreadnought was the first of the leviathan battleship class. The king himself attended the launching in February 1906. Since then nine Dreadnoughts have been launched the Collingwood being the latest of her class. Two more are on the stocks and one will be launched soon. By the summer of 1910 England will have in active service ten all big gun battleships.

Of the forty five battleships or battleship cruisers of the new types which have been or are being built for the world's navies nineteen have been launched. Eleven of them fly the British flag, two belong to Japan, two to the United States, three to Germany and one to Brazil.

Nations Are Racing

In the present state of tension between England and Germany the race for naval supremacy is swift. England has constructed or is constructing nine battleships of the Dreadnought class and Germany nine.

The dimensions of the Collingwood are length 600 feet, horsepower, 24,500, beam 84 feet, draft 27 feet, speed, 21 knots. Her armor belt is 11 inches thick. She will carry ten 12-inch main guns, fourteen 4-inch anti-torpedo guns and five torpedo tubes.

The German and English fleets that are now ready for action in home waters are compared as follows:

British battleships (home fleet)—Dreadnought 1, Agamemnon, 1, Indomitable 1, Majestic 8, Vengeance, 1; total 12.

German battleships (high sea fleet)—Deutschlands 5, Braunschweigs, 5, Wittelsbachs, 4, Kaiser 2, total 16.

British armored cruisers—Minotaurs, 2, Achilles, 4, Leviathan, 1, Essex, 2, total 9.

German armored cruisers—Scharnhorsts 2, Roons 2, total 4.

British armament—12-inch, 9.2-inch and 7.5 inch guns 138, weight of metal, 73,220 pounds.

German armament—11-inch, 9.4-inch and 8.4 inch guns 88, weight of metal, 41,72 pounds.

In speed and protection the advantage is also with the British force which, so far as displacement is concerned, is one-third stronger than the German fleet.

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Oakland as the World's Chief Electric City.

The Great Western Electric Power Company whose main works are at the lower end of the Big Bend of the Feather river, fifteen miles above Oroville, will be ready to turn the stream into the tunnel and begin operations within the next two weeks. The plant has a capacity of 144,000 horse-power, or nearly three times the capacity possessed by the largest power plant operated with water drawn from Niagara Falls.

The Great Western power plant has been developed from an unprofitable gold mining enterprise in which Dr. Pierce, the patent medicine man, sank over $2,500,000. The Big Bend of the Feather river is about seven miles long. It comprises a section of the Feather river bed which the argonauts did not work. Dr. Pierce assumed that their failure to do so was due to their inability to flume the stream and thus drain its bed. The latter was found to be feasible by the boring of a tunnel three and one-half miles in length through the heart of the mountain which forms the horseshoe and diverting the stream through it. Every section of the bed of the Feather river which had been mined had proved so remunerative that it was assumed the construction of the tunnel would be richly rewarded by the gold recovered from the seven miles of river bed drained. When mining operations were started on the latter it was discovered that the gold-bearing bed rock was buried under a layer of boulders wedged tightly together and so massive that they could not be lifted with derricks nor removed profitably with explosives, although there was indisputable evidence of the presence of gold under them. Moreover, the bedrock was itself too hard to justify undermining by blasting. The enterprise had to be abandoned and Pierce became a bankrupt.

That all happened when the value of water for the generation of electricity was unappreciated and the use of electric energy for light and power was in its infancy. In recent years, however, the great value of Dr. Pierce's drainage tunnel as a source of power was recognized by electrical engineers, as it has a fall of 540 feet at the outlet into the canyon below. With this fall, the enormous volume of water which the Feather river carries at its lowest stages and which the tunnel is capable of carrying will develop the 144,000 horse-power of electric energy which the Great Western Power Company is now ready to harness.

Oakland has a direct interest in this great enterprise, as the current generated at the power house will be transmitted here over the company's transmission lines for employment in lighting and furnishing power to manufactories and for other purposes. The company is about to apply for franchises to distribute its power and light throughout the city, and on the presumption that the franchises will be granted it is building a mammoth transformer plant at the junction of Fourth avenue and Cambridge street and is preparing to erect an auxiliary plant on Session's basin lands at the foot of Fifth avenue which is planned to have a capacity ultimately of 50,000 horse-power. An addition of nearly 200,000 horse-power to the energy which is already located here will produce industrial results in this community which are almost inconceivable to the liveliest imagination. When these power plants and the one the Southern Pacific Company is now building on the north side of the tidal canal are in operation, Oakland will have a larger amount of electric energy available than any other city in the world.

New Agreement Between Tokio and Washington.

The announcement from Washington that the United States and Japanese governments have entered into a new compact affecting their respective interests in the Pacific Ocean should put a permanent quietus on the silly reports which have been frequently reiterated during the past year that Japan coveted possession of the Philippines and the Hawaiian group and that war between the two countries was inevitable. During the late presidential campaign, Congressman Hobson, of Merrimac fame, who had become a monomaniac on the subject, repeatedly asserted in his public speeches that the two nations would be at war within a year. Fortunately no one took Hobson seriously; but, to the contrary, he was generally rated at his true value as a foolish alarmist.

While the announcement of the new compact lacks official confirmation, it is credited to reliable sources, and what seems to be a rational summary of the text of the agreement is given. It is said to consist of five articles, the first of which recites a mutual desire to encourage a large and peaceful development of the commerce of the Pacific Ocean. The second is a mutual disclaimer of any selfish or aggressive design which, if carried out, would disturb the status quo in the Pacific. It also defends the principle of equal opportunity for commerce and industry in China. The third article gives assurance of reciprocal resolution to respect one another's territorial possessions in the Pacific. The fourth a common interest in the preservation of the independence and the integrity of China and a mutual pledge to support those conditions and the principle of the "open door" for all nations by all peaceful methods. The fifth article pledges the signatories to the agreement to confer with one another in the event anything should happen threatening the status quo in order to devise such co-operative measures as may be deemed necessary.

Evidently the purpose of the agreement is to set at rest the disquieting reports which have been so freely circulated regarding Japan's alleged ambitious designs on our insular possessions and her alleged plan for the alienation of Southern Manchuria and the monopoly of its trade. The agreement is probably the direct result of Secretary Root's recently pointed inquiries to the Japanese government regarding its intentions to respect the pledges it made in the Portsmouth treaty to which it and the Russian government subscribed. The new pledge to preserve the integrity and independence of the Chinese empire is in the nature of an assurance that Japan has abandoned all intentions of establishing a protectorate or in any other way indirectly annexing Southern Manchuria, if she ever really harbored such designs. Outside of the joint commercial interest the two nations have in common with other nations in the "open door" clause contained in the Portsmouth treaty of peace, the renewal of the pledge to preserve China's independence and integrity would seem to be superfluous, as recent events indicate the complete awakening of the Chinese people and the rapid development of internal reforms and the adoption of national policies which will abolish the wardship established over China by the Western nations and put an end to their interference with her domestic affairs.

The rejection by the House of Lords of the licensing bill passed by the House of Commons as a government measure will add to the friction existing between these bodies and will hasten the passage of a measure by the lower house reorganizing the upper house in such a way that its powers to block popular legislation will be broken. The tension between the two branches of the British parliament has been growing for many years past. Previous methods adopted by the government to bring the Lords to their senses to respect public opinion have been to create new Lords from the government's supporters in the House of Commons or to threaten to elevate a sufficient number of Commoners to insure the passage of the desired reforms through the upper house. The British ministry is today a truly representative body of the people and it is sure to apply drastic measures to reform the House of Lords sooner or later and destroy its obstructive capacity.

Will Castro Be Allowed to Land in France?

The proposed visit of President Castro of Venezuela to Paris to undergo an operation for an affection of the stomach is liable to create an unusually delicate international situation. France is, in common with Great Britain, Germany, Spain, the United States and The Netherlands, at odds with Venezuela, Castro having picked a quarrel with each in turn and severed diplomatic relationship. He is, therefore, persona non grata with each of the governments named. Regardless of this fact, he is now on his way to Bordeaux and in a few days the French government will be confronted with the problem of his rights to land on French soil. Naturally, in the order of things, no French official would be allowed to land in Venezuela. It will be impossible for Castro to divest himself of his official status as President of the South American republic. Should he seek, moreover, to enter France as a private Venezuelan citizen, commonly described as incognito, the government may refuse to grant him the favor, for a precedent was established twenty years ago, in the case of another South American President who was denied the privilege when he desired to visit France privately at a time when the relations of his and the French governments were similar to those existing now between Venezuela and the French republic. If the precedent then set is ignored, it will probably be done on the strictly humane grounds that Castro is a sick man seeking surgical relief from an affliction which is threatening his life and that his visit, as such, has no political significance.

The late rains have started the pastures all over the State, but that does not prevent the creamery trust from putting up the price of butter to the famine mark. The Cartwright law will probably have to be invoked before the combine is broken.

BOYS SENT TO STATE'S PRISON

YOUTHFUL BURGLARS GIVEN HEAVY TERMS

Pleaded Guilty to Stealing of Hundreds of Dollars Worth of Merchandise in Southern California Towns.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 28.—Two of the three young burglars who stole hundreds of dollars' worth of merchandise in this and adjoining cities and secreted it in an isolated cave near Pomona, where it was found by officers following their arrest, are well on their way to the penitentiary, having pleaded guilty. Harry Ford, who admitted he had been to prison before and whose correct name was given as Henry J. Kindler, was sentenced to five years. Patrick Burns, who said he had been a sailor half of his 28 years, was sentenced to three years.

Fred Speitl, who confessed everything, has not yet been sentenced.

ARMY TRANSPORT DIX IS SAFE AT MANILA

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—The army transport Dix arrived at Manila on the 24th instant, a day ahead of schedule time, although yesterday the War Department sent a request to Manila to have a vessel leave at once to hunt her up, on the theory that she was overdue six days, and had possibly encountered the same storm that disabled the hospital ship Relief. The authorities at Manila failed to notify the department of the arrival of the Dix.

TAFT WILL BE THEIR CHAIRMAN

WILL PRESIDE OVER CONSERVATION MEETING

President-Elect Accepts Invitation to Hold the Chair at Gathering of Nation's Leading Men in Washington.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—President-elect William H. Taft has accepted an invitation to preside over and address a joint conference of the National Conservation Commission with the Governors of the States in this city, December 8, an event which will bring together an assemblage of the nation's leading men in commercial, financial and political activity, and whose importance may be expected to rival the noted White House conservation conference called by President Roosevelt last March.

Four Days' Session.

The joint conference will be in progress four days, and will be fraught with wonderful possibilities toward shaping an epoch in the country's commercial advance. In fact, it is the first conference wherein tangible data as to the scope of the natural resources in the United States will be presented by the commission and a practical plan mapped out whereby conservation may be accomplished.

President Roosevelt will deliver an address the opening day. J. J. Hill, John Mitchell, Andrew Carnegie and a score of others have invitations to be present.

Pinchot to Report.

The interest of the entire nation in one of its most perplexing problems, the National Conservation Commission, has made an inventory of the natural resources of the country. This inventory, which embraces waters, minerals, forests and land, will be presented by Gifford Pinchot, chairman of the commission, who, in his report to the President January 1, will make recommendations which both the work of the commission and the joint conference may suggest as vital in solving the conservation problem.

AUSTRIA'S AMBASSADOR TO REPORT ON BOYCOTT

BERLIN, Nov. 28.—The statement that Count Palavicini, the Austro-Hungarian Ambassador at Constantinople, was about to be recalled, does not receive credence here. It is considered possible, however, that the Count will proceed shortly to Vienna to report verbally to his government on the situation in Turkey and to discuss the boycott on Austrian goods.

Some of the reports on the matter of this boycott are considered greatly exaggerated, and in spite of statements to the contrary the movement has not been extended to German articles except in one insignificant instance, which was a result of confusing the nationality of local dealers.

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Lot No. 1—69c

This lot includes a number of patterns in Tapestry-Brussels regularly sold for $1.00 yard; special this week, while they last, 69c yard; sewed, lined and laid. Bring measurements of rooms.

Lot No. 2—79c

This lot includes a lot of Tapestry-Brussels carpets in good hall and bedroom patterns, regularly sold for $1.15 yard; special this week, while they last, 79c yard; sewed, lined and laid.

Lot No. 3—88c

This lot includes a lot of the best ten-wire carpets, some with and some without borders, and sell regularly for $1.30 and $1.35 yard; special for the week, while they last, 88c yard, sewed, lined and laid.

Lot No. 4—$1.05

Genuine Axminster carpets, the kind you have always wanted for the parlor, and here is a chance to buy them cheaper than you would ordinarily pay for Tapestry carpets; regular $1.40 and $1.65; special $1.05 yard; sewed, lined and laid.

Lot No. 5—$1.35

The heaviest grade deep pile Axminster carpet, and a carpet that would be prized in the most elaborate home; the regular $2.25 kind; special this week while they last, $1.35 yard; sewed, lined and laid.

Lot No. 6—$1.25 yd.—Reg. $1.75 Wiltons

These are carpets for parlors, halls, dining-rooms and living-rooms; carpets that will stand the wear of years. Regular $1.75 Wiltons; special for the week, while they last, $1.25 yard; sewed, lined and laid.

Lot No. 7—Carpet Rugs for Almost Half

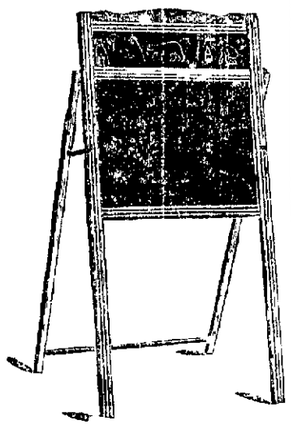
We had a number of remnants not large enough to cover a floor, but enough to make desirable sized rugs. These will be priced for about one half what the rugs would cost to have them made up, and most any size can be had.

Christmas Shopping Has Begun In Real Earnest at the Big Furniture Store

From the enthusiasm already shown, we expect the largest holiday trade we have ever enjoyed, as we have already reserved a great many articles for Xmas delivery, and we are, no doubt, best able to serve you with the greatest collection of useful and practical gifts that have ever been displayed in Oakland, and we are going to sell them for less than ever before. Look over this ad and see if you can't select something that will be practical and useful, something to make the home more beautiful and more comfortable; pick out your presents, and we will deliver them when it suits you. Keep your eye on our ads and window displays.

A Trunk for Dolls' Clothes

Built just like papa's trunk, with brass corner trimmings, lock and key, a removable tray; measures 16 inches long by 9½ inches wide; finished in colors. Mamma would have to pay about $1.25 to $1.50 at the toy stores but she can get this one for 55c.

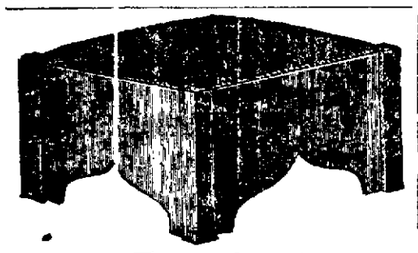


A Real Blackboard 20c

As shown, stands 38 inches high, can be used on either side; just the thing for the little girl or boy and will teach them to write; the top one side has pictures to copy and on other side is the full alphabet. Never sold for less than 40c, here only 20c.

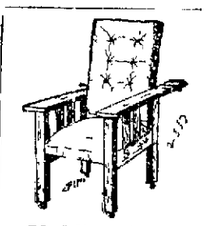
Dressed Dolls 35c and 50c

We have just received a lot of these dolls, dressed in the latest fashion, with hats to match; the most stylish dolls we have seen; 35c and 50c.



Foot Stool 65c

A mission oak foot stool that would be welcomed in any home; top 14x14 inches, covered with black leatheroid. You'll certainly appreciate this stool at $1.25; but special, while they last, 65c.



Child's Morris Chair $2.95

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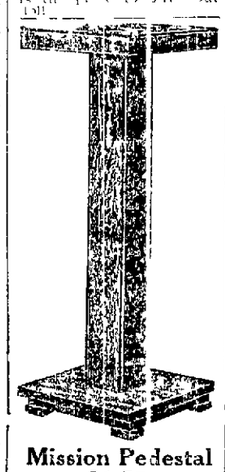
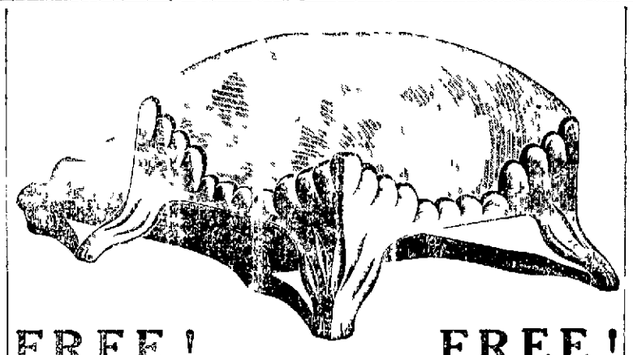


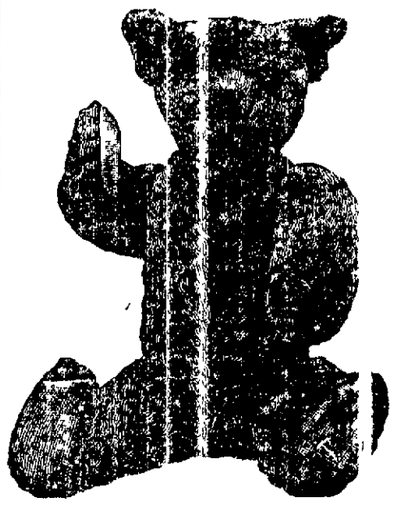
Mission Pedestal $1.75

Solid oak, fumed finish, weathered finish, 42 inches high. We have a number of these pedestals, and they are a great bargain at $1.75 each.



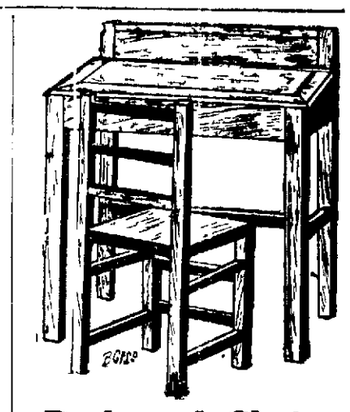
FREE! FREE! TO EVERY LADY

One of those handy little articles to set on the dresser or work table, a pin cushion covered with velvet; bronze legs. Just a handy size. One pin cushion FREE to every woman who comes into our store, beginning Monday morning, as long as they last. FREE, no charge; and you don't have to make a purchase.



Teddy Bears 55c

Teddy Bears for everyone. A full inch specialty Teddy Bear, the kind that always sell regularly for $1.00 and $1.75; special while they last only 55c.

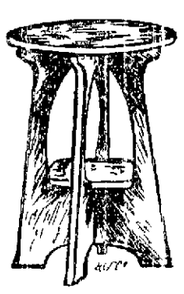


Desk and Chair $3.95

A genuine Mission Oak Desk and Chair for the children; desk stands 30 inches high at back and 22 inches wide; top lifts up and under is a roomy compartment. The Mission chair has a solid oak seat. The set would be well worth $7.50, but here only $3.95.

A Music Cabinet $7.50

Could you guess my thoughts, if I presented you with this handsome oak cabinet? Well, it would be just the place for your sheet music, and it would be a great convenience to you. Special while they last $7.50.

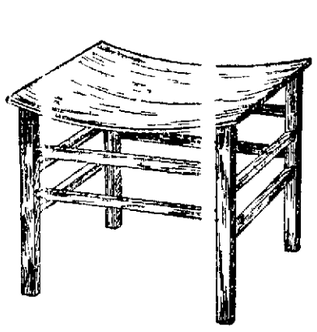


Pedestal Table $4.75

Solid oak, fumed finish, 42 inches high, 16 inches square; a very useful table for the money; special while they last $4.75.

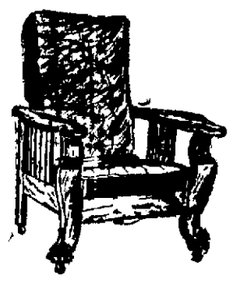
Arts and Crafts Telephone Stand $9.50

Quartered fumed oak, top of stand 18 inches square; stool just the right height. A regular $15.00 value, just few for $9.50.



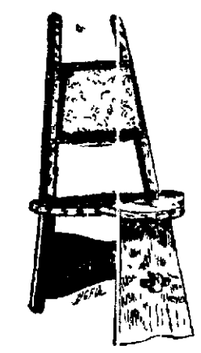
India Seat 95c

Genuine oak finish, weathered finish; seat you could use a door mat of in your own home; at least half cost you elsewhere; special while they last 95c.



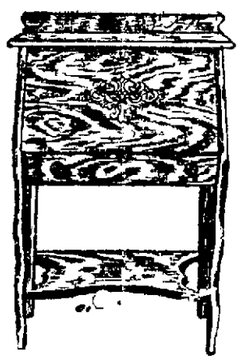
Reg. $17.50 Special $8.75

A Morris chair for father and mother, genuine quartered oak, finished golden, reversible velour cushions, back adjustable with the Royal push button, a chair that will last a lifetime, at value never before equalled, $8.75.



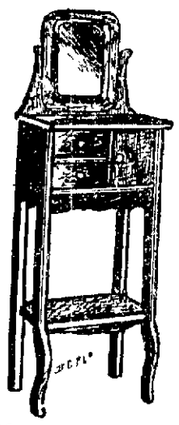
Hall Seat $9.25

One of those genuine Crafters novelties in fumed oak. You might look or a lifetime and not find another like it and it's a regular $1.50 seat; special for the holidays only $9.25. Sure to be treasured by the one who gets it.



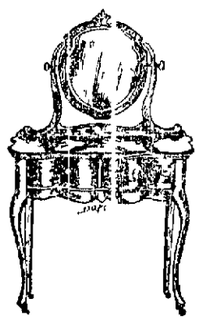
Ladies' Desk $5.95

Finished mahogany or solid golden oak, measures 23 inches across; interior arranged for paper, envelopes, etc., large drawer, with shelf underneath, a desk that you would pay $11.00 for regularly; special while they last $5.95.



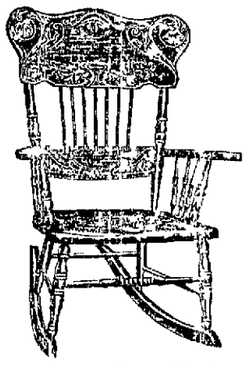
Shaving Cabinet $7.50

Only one out of our entire stock; solid golden oak and arranged for the convenience of the user with a genuine French plate mirror, drawers for razor, strop, mug, etc. Good value at regular $15.00; special only $7.50.



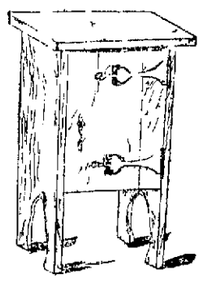
Dressing Table $17.75

Genuine quartered golden oak, birds-eye maple top, heavy full size, serpentine front. French style legs. French plate mirror. It's one of the best regular $31 value, specially priced $17.75.



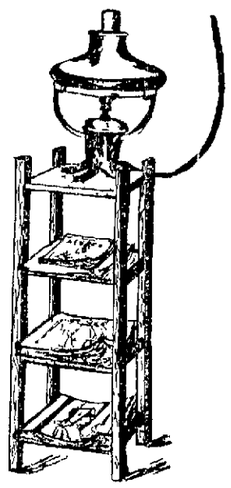
Arm Rocker $1.50

Solid golden oak, wood solid seat, solid arm rests. A well built rocker for only $1.50. Many a mother would like one like it.



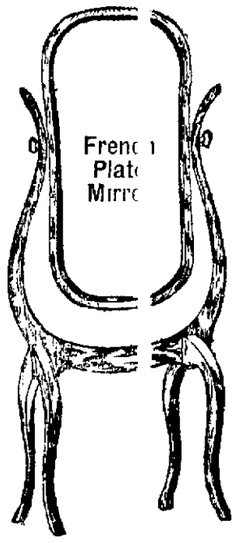
Smoker's Cabinet $4.00

Here is the gift for the smoker; solid weathered oak, with receptacle for pipe, tobacco, etc., top measures 11 inches high, 14 inches square; a real ornament; special $4.00.



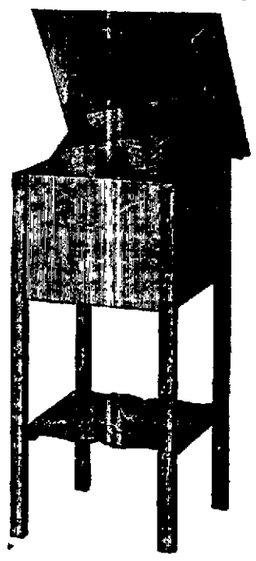
Magazine Rack $1.45

A solid Mission Oak Magazine Rack, which stands 4 inches high and has four shelves for books and magazines. We believe at the price we are offering this rack that every home in Alameda county can find a place for one. Regular $3.00 rack special $1.45.



Cheval Mirror $19.75

Many a woman has expressed a desire to own a Cheval mirror but felt that she couldn't afford it. Now is the time to make your present; this one in white maple or golden oak, standing 60 inches high, regular $18, special $19.75.



Sewing Cabinet $2.25

A place for mother's or sister's sewing. A cabinet of oak finished weathered. A handy box with compartments for threads, scissors, etc. Could you think of anything better for the money; regular $3.75, special $2.25.

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The Marvelous Thing You Can Do With $25.00

Twenty-five Dollars Expended Here—While Our Wonderful Sale of that Great San Francisco Stock Is On—Will Give You the Choice Of All the Forty-five, Fifty, Sixty and Sixty-five Dollar Suits Of the Eastern Manufacturers' Suit Co.

THIS SALE is the talk of the town. Such crowds—such enthusiasm—such selling. The like was never known before in Oakland's history. It takes more than rain to keep the clever and appreciative women of our city away from the positively unprecedented values we are giving. Tomorrow we will place on sale many new lots of suits that are fully as remarkable as those that created such a tremendous sensation last week. Among them are all the late and popular styles of the season—the Americanized Directoire models that look so stunning on trim, slender, graceful figures—the nifty military effects—the dashing long coat styles that set off "tailormade women" to such charming advantage—and those very handsome Colonial suits that are so becoming to all women. Fabrics—patterns—colorings are the newest of the new, and right on the top crest of Dame Fashion's favor. And every suit is a model of honest workmanship. The Eastern Manufacturers' Suit Company catered to a high-class patronage. The men who composed the firm have had many years of experience in the suit business, and their stock was selected with rare taste and an expert knowledge of values. But they couldn't agree, and in exactly nine days after opening their doors they decided to dissolve partnership—and we bought their stock at our own price.

Can You Afford To Miss This Opportunity To Buy the Choicest $45.00, $50.00, $60.00 and $65.00 Suits of the Season for $25.00? Think it over.

In the stock of the Manufacturers' Suit Co. was just 40 elegant costumes broadcloth, net and silk. Not a dress in the collection is worth less than $25.00. Some are worth $35.00 and $40.00. We have divided the 40 suits in two lots, and marked them $15.00 and $20.00. The bargains are nothing short of astounding.

$7.50 Coats $2.95 — From the Stock of the Eastern Manufacturers' Suit Company — **$10.00 Coats $5.00**

Black Silk Petticoats—made of the finest rustling all-silk taffeta—only 96 in the lot—sold by the Eastern Manufacturers' Suit Co. at $6.95, and guaranteed by them to give good service for three months—our price 3.95 each.
Charming Net and Lace Waists, with short sleeves—beautifully trimmed—sold by the Eastern Manufacturers' Suit Co. at $7.50, $8.50, $10.00, $12.50 and $15.00—our price for any waist in the collection $5.00.

BIG SALE OF CHILDREN'S COATS AT AMAZINGLY LOW PRICES

From the Wonderful Purchase Of the Eastern Manufacturers' Suit Co.'s Stock

HERE are the most extraordinary values in warm and dressy winter coats for little people that you—or we—have ever seen. There are altogether too many styles to go into details. All we can say is that the coats are all in this season's prettiest and most popular styles—that they are exceptionally well made—that the materials are broadcloths, chinchilla cloths, cheviots, caracul cloths, broadtail cloths, bearskin cloths and velvets—that the sizes range from 2 to 6 years—that the prices we quote for this sale wouldn't pay for the actual cost of production. Every economical parent within reach of the Always Busy Store should attend this sale.

$7.00 Coats $3.50 | $8.00 Coats $3.95 | $9.00 Coats $5.00 | $10 Coats $6.50 | $15 Coats $7.50

A VERY EXTRAORDINARY SALE OF FANCY SILKS

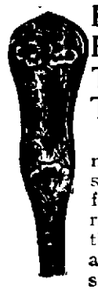
$1.50 Silks 75c — All This Season's Goods — **$1.25 Silks 75c** — Strictly Desirable Patterns — **$1.00 Silks 75c**

This sale is the sequel to a spot cash purchase from a large and reliable manufacturer who—with one eye on his large surplus stock and the other on an advancing season—was glad to sell us some of his choicest silk treasures at a great sacrifice. There are about 4000 yards in all. Some are Messalines—Some are Peau de Cygnes—Some Are Chiffon Taffetas—Some Are Louisines. All are silks that rank high in feminine favor this season. The patterns include handsome stripes, checks and jacquard designs. Some are in fashionable solid colors—others are in beautiful combinations. The poorest silk in the lot would be a bargain at $1.00—the bulk of the offering is of silks worth $1.25 and $1.50 a yard. All will be on sale tomorrow at 75c. Come promptly—the choicest patterns will sell first. See the display in Thirteenth Street Windows. The Sale will be conducted in our Enlarged Silk Department.

75c **75c**

SILVER WARE

SPECIAL VALUES IN ROGER'S BRAND OF BEST KNIVES, FORKS AND SPOONS



Knives, Set of 6, - $2.25
Forks, Set of 6, - $2.00
Tea Spoons, Set of 6, $1.00
Table Spoons, Set of 6, $2.00

These goods are in an entirely new and very handsome sterling silver pattern. They are beautifully finished, and fully warranted. The illustration shows the exact style of the handles of all the pieces. Buy now and save money.

Clearance Sale Of Millinery

You Can Buy the "Smartest Hats in Town" At Greatly Reduced Prices

ALL the stunning Paris models—all the charming New York hats—all the exquisite creations from our own millinery workrooms—are included in this sweeping sale. 'Tis a pity to sacrifice such bewitching beauties. But Thanksgiving marks the zenith of the millinery season—selling time will soon be on the wane—and the manager of this department believes in clearing stocks while the demand is at its height. Those who get here promptly will have a fine variety to choose from. Here are a few of the prices:

$5.00 Hats	$7.50 Hats	$10 Hats	$12.50 Hats	$15 Hats	$20 Hats
$3.75	$5.63	$7.50	$9.38	$11.25	$15

Millinery Trimmings Are Also Reduced—This Way

Velvet Foliage in the best colors of the season—very handsome and very stylish—worth 50c—now on sale at..... **29c**

Long Hackle Breasts—for breast turbans—black, brown, navy, green and Alice—75c values—now on sale at..... **48c**

Uncut Ostrich Pompons—the kind that will not lose their beauty in the damp air—$1.25 values for..... **89c**

Big Bundles of Curled Coque—fine for trimming crowns—best colors—regular price $1.75—now..... **$1.11**

NEW XMAS ART GOODS

OUR Art Department is one of the most interesting spots in this big store. The stock is enormous—the goods are uncommonly handsome—the prices are very, very reasonable. Customers tell us we are headquarters for art goods. And they must be sincere, for they are keeping our salespeople on the jump every business minute.

Some Of the Things 25c Will Buy—

Laundry Bags, Shoe Pockets, Children's Sewing Boxes, Tinted Sofa Pillows, Glove and Handkerchief Boxes.

Some Of the Things 35c Will Buy—

Tie Racks, Calendars, Pipe Racks, Match Scratchers, Hat Pin Holders, Sewing Boxes and Lace Toilet Sets.

Some Of the Things 50c Will Buy—

Glove Boxes, Handkerchief Boxes, Hand-embroidered Linen Doylies, Tinted Sofa Pillows and Novelty Hatpin Cushions. At prices ranging from 25c to $35.00 we have an almost unending assortment of beautiful, ornamental, fanciful practical articles for holiday gifts. Buy now—while the stock is full.

Maltese Silk

An Exquisite Part-Silk Fabric for Evening Wear

On Sale Tomorrow at 29c — See the Window Display

MALTESE SILK is heavier and better than Japanese Silk, and handsomer than the popular Messaline. It is three-quarters of a yard wide, and comes in black—white—ivory—and twenty beautiful colors. If this lot meets with the enthusiastic reception its predecessors received, there won't be a yard left tomorrow night. The fabric is beautiful—and so superior to anything in the market at such a small price—that it almost compels those who see it to buy. If it was necessary, you would cheerfully pay fifty cents a yard for Maltese Silk. But it will be on sale tomorrow at about half that price—29c.

29c **29c**

A SALE OF BEDDING

BLANKETS — COMFORTERS — BED SPREADS

FINE for Christmas presents—sensible, usable gifts are appreciated most and remembered longest. Why not buy now—when you can get them at such sharp reductions from usual prices? There's nothing to be gained by waiting. Chances are that these special lots will be sold out this week. And it's one of the surest things on earth that you can make your selections more comfortably and intelligently now than you can when the holiday crush is on largest.

$1.25 Teddy Bear Blankets—blue or pink—for 79c

DOWN COMFORTERS Worth $8—Sale price **$5.50** | **WOOL BLANKETS** Worth $5.50—Sale price **$4.35**

Full Size Sanitary Comforters $2.45—the $3 Kind

$1.50 BED SPREADS 3-4 Size—Sale price **$1.25** | **$3.00 BED SPREADS** Full Size—Sale price **$2.45**

Our Great Sale Of Brass and Metal Beds Is Still In Progress—Come and See the Bargains. You'll regret it if you don't.

Shop Early

Buy your Christmas presents early—early in the day and early in December. That will be your biggest gift of the Holiday; to the workers behind the counters and on the delivery wagons.

Kahn Bros

THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE
TWELFTH AND WASHINGTON STS., OAKLAND

Specials in Ribbons and Purses

Fancy Ribbons—great assortment of beautiful designs and coloring—a 50c value for..... **25c**

Vanity Purses—a special purchase of twenty-five dozen—the regular 35c kind—our price..... **25c**

Silk Ascot Stocks—splendid line of stylish colorings—good value at 75c each—on sale tomorrow at..... **50c**

NEWS SECTION

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MORE STANDARD OIL SECRETS TO BE BARED

WILL BUILD BIG LABOR TEMPLE

MAGNIFICENT HOME IS PLANNED FOR OAKLAND

One Hundred and Ten Lodges Are Interested in Erection of $100,000 Structure at Twelfth and Brush Streets.

A union labor temple, which will be five or six stories in height, class A throughout and cost from $75,000 to $100,000 will be begun shortly after January 1st on the property at Twelfth and Brush streets.

The property was purchased by the Carpenters' Union Hall Association, and $20,000 was raised for the erection of the building some months ago. Recently a committee, representing various unions of Oakland, undertook the work of interesting the 110 organizations of the city in the project of building a labor temple.

This committee met last night at the Building Trades headquarters and so gratifying were the reports that the consummation of the scheme is assured. Fourteen unions have signified their desire to assist in the construction of the temple. Painters' Union No. 127 has pledged at least $5000 of the stock, and $3000 has been pledged by the Cement Workers' Union, and the Electrical Workers' Union has pledged $2000.

The new structure will have at least twelve lodgerooms and a big auditorium with a seating capacity for 2500 or 3000 persons. It will also have a fireproof vault for the storage of records and papers of the unions and lodges occupying it. It is expected that practically all of the 110 union organizations of the county will be financially interested in the proposition and that most of them will make the building their headquarters.

William Rambo, president of Carpenters' Union No. 36, C. M. Rock of the Electrical Workers' Union, R. M. Dickey and A. B. Lewis of Carpenters' Union No. 1667, H. B. Andrews of the Cement Workers' Union, George E. Manes and W. Record of the Sheet Metal Workers' Union form the committee which is working for the proposition.

BRINGING GIFTS FOR PRESIDENT

Secretary Root and Party Expected to Arrive in Washington Tomorrow Morning.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—Bringing gifts for President and Mrs. Roosevelt, Secretary of State and Mrs. Root, and other notables, the imperial Chinese envoy, Shao Yi, Prince Fu and their suites are expected to arrive in this city on Monday.

They will be met at the station by Assistant Secretary of State Bacon, or Huntington Wilson, and a detachment of White House aides. Immediately after the exchange of greetings the visitors will be conducted to the house in K street, Scott Circle, arranged for their official residence.

In addition to the Scott Circle house, which is one of the most commodious in the city, the residence of Rear Admiral Barker at 1605 Rhode Island avenue has been fitted up for the accommodation of the secondary members of the retinue.

Deserter of Wives Located in S. F.

SPRINGFIELD DEPOT, O., Nov. 28.—Married twice, deserting both young wives and breaking engagements with two girls in California, is the record of Jolly Billingsley, who left Mrs. Sylvia Billingsley and went to San Francisco on November 7. His whereabouts were not known until his mother received a letter from him today. Five years ago Billingsley married a Miss Williams and deserted her, she securing a divorce. A month ago Sylvia Cash became his wife. His mother says he was engaged to Bessie Costello of San Francisco and Grace Galloway of Talmadge.

Staff Position for Alameda Officer

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 28. — Adjutant General Lauck, today appointed Lieutenant H. H. Delamater, of Alameda, a member of the brigade staff, and detailed him to act as assistant to Colonel Thomas William, U. S. A., retired, in inspecting the California militia.

RAPHAEL WEILL HOME FROM EUROPEAN TOUR

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Raphael Weill returned tonight from a six months' trip to Europe. Most of his time was spent in France, with short trips to England and Germany.

"What impressed me most during my absence was that the confidence which Europe has had in America has not been disturbed by the panic," he said.

HANDSOME JEWELS ARE PRESENTED TO LADIES

Pretty Ceremony at Public Installation By Athens Chapter of Eastern Star.

Athens Chapter No. 277, Order of the Eastern Star, held its public installation of officers Wednesday evening, in Masonic Temple. The hall was decorated for the occasion with flowers, holly berries and palms. A short musical program was rendered, among the selections being "When the Heart Is Young" and "The Lost Chord" by Mrs. V. Gervase Clifton, accompanied by Mrs. Mae Lancaster, and "My Own United States," by Clarence Castell.

Past Worthy Matron Agnes M. Morgan was the installing officer, assisted by Past Grand Worthy Matron Catharine E. Merritt.

Presented With Jewel

One of the features of the evening was the presentation of a handsome jewel to the retiring matron and organizer, Mrs. Mollie Lavinance Robinson. Patron S. H. Masters, with fitting remarks, presented the jewel. Mrs. Robinson organized the chapter last June, and much of its success is owing to her untiring efforts. Athens is the "baby" chapter of the country, and already has a membership of over sixty. The jewel which was given to Mrs. Robinson is set with six diamonds.

Another Presentation

Past Worthy Patron Morgan P. Morgans was presented with a jewel by Past Most Worthy Grand Matron of the general chapter, Mary Partridge.

The following officers were installed: Worthy matron, Mabel L. Masters; worthy patron, Sawyer H. Masters; associate matron, Mary Partridge; secretary, Elma Page, treasurer, Mary Raun; conductress, Matilda M. Marth; associate conductress, Georgia Gutelius; chaplain, Daniel P. Adamson; marshal, Marian Josephs; Ada, Emma Peterson; Esther, Minnie Rogers; Martha, Edith Hedemark; Electa, Edna Pendleton; warden, Hazel Raun.

MRS. MOLLIE LAVINANCE ROBINSON.
—Belle-Oudry Photo.

Bernardo Shorb, Social Darling, Beaten by His Deserted Bride's Brother

Nurses Black Eyes as Result of Attempt to Dodge Service of Papers in Suit for Divorce.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Bernardo Yorba Shorb, drawing-room darling, whose marital difficulties began less than a month after he led the fascinating Elizabeth Sheehan to the altar, is nursing a pair of plebian black eyes and other vulgar hurts as the outcome of an encounter he had with Will Sheehan, brother of the lady, while trying to resist the service of papers in the divorce proceedings she has initiated.

Shorb, who is a son of Mrs. J. de Barth Shorb and a brother of Mrs. Ynez Shorb White-Fluck, one of the most imperious social dictators in San Francisco, became the husband of the daughter of John R. Sheehan, a wealthy New York contractor, on July 3, 1907. The marriage was celebrated at St. Mary's Cathedral and drew one of the smartest crowds from Burlingame whose carriage wheels ever clattered the asphalt of Van Ness avenue.

Honeymoon 25 Days

Shorb's honeymoon, which was plentifully sprinkled with rice and gasoline, was of short duration. Twenty-six days after he took his bride on an automobile trip to Del Monte she left him and returned to her father, at the Lafayette Apartments, in Sacramento street.

Shorb was sued in the meantime for the automobile in which he had set out on his honeymoon, the owners of the machine declaring that he had obtained it under false pretenses by representing that his wealthy father-in-law would settle the bill.

This the contractor vigorously resisted and the matter was finally settled by Campbell Shorb, brother of the bridegroom, who adopted the simple expedient of returning the machine to the owners and allowing them a nominal sum for wear and tear.

Admitted Poverty

Bereft of their machine, the differences between the couple became all the more pronounced, and Shorb was finally named defendant in divorce proceedings on the ground of desertion and failure to provide. Immediately after the papers were filed Shorb announced his intention of beginning suit for $50,000 against his father-in-law for alienating his wife's affections.

Before the furore raised in the smart set by the beginning of the divorce proceedings had passed young Shorb was beseiged by clamorous creditors, who had looked upon his social credentials for his financial obligations prior to his marriage with the wealthy Miss Sheehan.

Tailors, haberdashers, and other tradesmen, began to importune him for settlements, and Shorb was finally led to declare in a suit begun against him in a justice's court by a dentist that a tin dollar watch and a stickpin represented all his possessions of value.

Efforts were made in the meantime to patch up the differences between the young couple. The prospects for a reunion appeared promising for a time, but they were finally abandoned, and Shorb applied for admission as a private in the Fourteenth Cavalry.

Goes to Find Him

Shorb is connected with the army set very intimately. Mrs. Ynez Shorb-White, his sister, married Major Buck of the medical service, and another sister is the wife of Captain John A. Murtagh. Norbert Shorb, a brother, is also connected with the army.

Barney Shorb as a social idol was acceptable in army circles, but Barney Shorb as a prospective private of Troop B, Fourteenth Cavalry, was not looked upon with enthusiasm. Shorb gave up his martial aspirations, and he has since had his time occupied in placating creditors and laying plans for resisting the divorce proceedings begun by his wife.

Will Sheehan volunteered his services to the attorneys of the young Mrs. Shorb following their failure to serve the meteoric social favorite with papers in the divorce proceedings.

Sheehan, who has a reputation in club circles as a handy young man with his fists, set out to find Shorb Friday evening, and finally encountered him in front of the Shorb home at 2802 Van Ness avenue.

Blows Follow Words

It was just growing dusk, and stray passers-by were arrested by the blunt words being exchanged by the pair. In a moment words gave place to blows and an automobile or two edged nearer the sidewalk to permit the occupants a better view of the mill that was in progress.

Keeping the light to his back, Sheehan passed over a left hook to the law. Shorb replied by a blow on the right temple. They clinched a moment. Then Sheehan broke away and got in two lefts on the face. Shorb swayed, and the onlookers began to realize that Sheehan was a very quick hitter. Shorb staggered under a rain of blows toward the curbstone, covering up as he retreated. It was beginning to look bad for him.

Shorb Cries Enough

Sheehan sparred carefully, and then sent a crashing right to Shorb's midriff. Shorb tried to reply, but got a left jolt on the law and a right swing on the mouth. The blood was beginning to trickle, and Sheehan, after a couple of short stomach jabs, brought his right over again on Shorb's eye. A left to the face was followed by another right-hand swing to the mouth.

Shorb was floundering wildly, and he presently threw up his hands and said he had enough.

"Take that paper and put up your hands," shouted Sheehan. "We're going to have this out in right shape."

Now in Retirement

Another feint from Sheehan sent Shorb's hands up, and the two men battled together for another minute and a half. Sheehan kept jabbing jerky lefts and stiff body blows at his man until both of Shorb's eyes were discolored and he was ready to know if Shorb had enough. Shorb said he had, and Sheehan turned and hurried away.

Shorb has since been keeping in seclusion. His face still shows evidence of the encounter, and it will probably be another two weeks before he will be able to make ——

SEARCHES SHIP FOR SLAYER

MAN WHO KILLED TWO MAKES HIS ESCAPE

Boards Vessel at One Port, But Leaves the Craft at Another Before Reaching San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Francisco W. Hanley, slayer of two Mexicans at Culiacan, Mex., was expected to be a passenger on the steamer Curacao, arriving here this evening, but when United States Marshal Elliott went out on board in the quarantine launch Argonaut he was informed that the man wanted had gone ashore at Ensenada. Marshal Elliott, nevertheless, made a search of the ship without success.

Hanley killed two Mexicans in defending himself from their guns and knives while engaged in a free fight in a railroad camp. Public sympathy was very much in his favor, but he was imprisoned, with every prospect of serving a long term in jail if he was fortunate enough to escape the death penalty, when he escaped from the quartel. Making his way to Mazatlan, Hanley stowed away on board the steamer Curacao, and upon being discovered gave the name of Frank Smith, and offered to pay his fare to Ensenada. He was permitted to do so, and at that place walked ashore unmolested.

Hanley, although half Mexican and half American, is light complexioned. He is 31 years old and the description sent to Marshal Elliott states that he has green eyes, is of spare build and is 5 feet 8 or 9 inches in height.

DUCHESS THROWS DOWN GLOVE TO DUKE

Not Satisfied With Social Triumphs She Enters and Scores in the Political Field.

LONDON, Nov. 28.—The Duchess of Marlborough has literally thrown down the glove to the Duke. Not satisfied with having established her position as the leading Duchess-philanthropist and by a series of smart town parties shown she is as much in the social swim as ever, she made a daring incursion last Thursday into the political field by presiding at Sundridge House over a meeting of the Ladies' Grand Council of the Primrose League.

Now the Primrose League, as everybody knows, is the Tory organization which so successfully appeals to the snobbery of the English middle classes. Only the other day the Duke of Marlborough, with much state and ceremony, was elected president of the Primrose League, to succeed the late Sir Henry Drummond, its founder. So the Duchess has actually beared her husband in his own particular political den.

ASK THAT HIDES BE PLACE DON FREE LIST

WASHINGTON, Nov. 28.—Another trust came in for a session of condemnation before the Ways and Means Committee today. Discontented leather manufacturers, tanners and shoemakers asked to be relieved from the burden imposed upon them by a monopoly which fixes the prices at which they must buy their commodities. They unanimously urged the committee to place hides on the free list and many of them stated that they were willing to forfeit the protection now granted their finished product if Congress would give them free hides.

Native Daughters Will Hold Bazaar

Making Plans for Unique Affair

The members of Piedmont Parlor No. 87, Native Daughters of the Golden West, have completed plans for a bazaar to be held in Pythian Castle December 15, 16 and 17. They have arranged very attractive booths, which will be presided over by a coterie of pretty young women.

The bazaar is the initial effort of its kind ever attempted by Piedmont Parlor. The affair is given for the benefit of the parlor, which contributes to the support of the sick and needy members.

Mrs. Thomas B. Bibber is chairman of the arrangements committee. She will be assisted by Mrs. Lau[illegible] Kelly, Mrs. H. N. Mosher, Mrs. A. I. Pacheco, Mrs. F. G. Tusher, Mrs. Min[illegible] Neddermann, Mrs. Rose Neddermann, Mrs. Annie McDonald, and Mrs. Carrie Hutchins.

PARIS WILD OVER STEINHEIL MYSTERY

Hold Theory That the Woman's Lover Murdered Husband.

PARIS, Nov. 28.—As a result of the investigations of Magistrate Andre in whose court the Steinheil case now rests, an order was issued ordering autopsies to be held to discover if poison was administered. According to a new theory that has been adduced from the testimony, Coilleaud, the valet in the Steinheil family, both of the victims of the murder plot were drugged before they were strangled. Coilleaud testified that on the evening before the murders he saw Madame Steinheil pour rum into the glasses of her husband and stepmother, a procedure which was not her custom. He also swore that after the tragedy Madame Steinheil ordered him to destroy certain bottles in the household medicine chest.

The identity of the latest lover of Madame Steinheil was disclosed at the hearing today. He is a rich merchant named Maurice Berdered. He told his story frankly, admitting his relation with Madame Steinheil, but declaring that he did not believe her guilty of the crime. He said that he had told her he could not marry her because of his children, being a widower.

Paris Excited

Among the flood of wild reports circulated concerning the case which has set Paris crazy with excitement, is one that the woman has made a confession to M. Andre, the examining magistrate, now in charge of the case, in which she implicates a cabinet minister, a judge and several high officials of the judicial branch of the government. All details of her hearing today have been suppressed by the police, who declare that they are of such importance that their disclosures would defeat the ends of justice. Another report that gained credence as corroboration was that the murder was committed by a famous French dramatic man, who is lover of Madame Steinheil. No confirmation of this could be obtained.

Theory of Crime

According to the latest theory explaining the death of Artist Japy and Madame Japy, the stepmother of his wife, Steinheil came home unexpectedly on the night of the murder and caught his wife in a compromising position with a noted French author, with whom she had been on intimate terms for some time. A struggle ensued, during which the man strangled Steinheil to death. The theory which emanates from the office of Justice Leboucher is that Madame Steinheil was attracted to the scene in another part of the house, and that she saw what had happened. Recovering from the effects of the shock she learned that the author and Madame Steinheil then made the robbery story, that he left the building up of Madame Steinheil and fled, promising to return when Madame Steinheil when the affair blew over. The story goes, however, the author went crazy and died.

Young Hyatt Is Hurt Duck Shooting

COLUSA, Cal., Nov. 28.—Victor Hyatt, son of State Superintendent of Schools Hyatt, was seriously, if not fatally, shot while duck hunting near Lake Tulare today. His left arm and shoulder bones were badly shattered.

ARCHBOLD TO GO ON STAND

JOHN D. MAKES BAD WITNESS FOR HIMSELF

The Government Already Has Secured Many Damaging Admissions From World's Richest Man.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—John D. Archbold, "little king" of Standard Oil, and the second star witness of the defense of the greatest of trusts, will resume the witness stand Monday morning, in the government's suit to dissolve the Standard Company of New Jersey.

There is no longer any question that he will be the most valuable witness that in this last extreme has been called out to save the trust. Moritz Rosenthal, who has temporarily succeeded John G. Milburn as leader and questioner, said that he would occupy at least three days in Archbold's direct examination.

Rockefeller in Charge

There has been talk within the past two weeks that John D. Rockefeller, dissatisfied with the exhibition of Archbold as a writer of certificates of deposit made in the last campaign, had returned to No. 26 Broadway to take charge.

No freshman ever conched him harder for a final examination in a neglected subject than did Rockefeller the richest man in the world, on the questions that John G. Milburn asked him in direct examination. There has been speculation the past two weeks as to what the government really got out of John D. Rockefeller. His fencing when on the stand was masterful. The newspapers did not make too much of it.

Yet the government's case went ahead; indeed, made more definite strides under Rockefeller's testimony than it has under any of the scores of witnesses who have been examined since the taking of testimony started a year ago last September.

First Admission

Here is admission No. 1, and any of Kellogg's company of government attorneys will tell you that it will be of value when in the middle of February they go before the five judges of the Eighth circuit—it is the mid-continent circuit and they sit in St. Louis—for the final argument of the dissolution suit.

Before Rockefeller bought up the Cleveland refineries he had entered into the South Improvement Company scheme, by which he was guaranteed a rebate of 50 per cent on the freight paid on the oil of any other shipper. Into this South Improvement Company he confessed that he had drawn all freight roads concerned.

Here is admission No. 2: Between 1877 and 1879 Rockefeller entered into various stock commissions by which he acquired with his immediate partners the control of fifteen or twenty of the big oil refining works of the country. Before letting the last of these contracts, Rockefeller put over the first Standard Oil trust agreement under date of 1879, and took more pains than he would admit to keep it secret.

Admits Rebates

Rockefeller admission No. 3: For the first time in his life John D. Rockefeller, under oath, admitted that the Standard Oil had received enormous rebates.

Admission No. 4 dragged out of the oil king deals with the monopoly of the oil terminals at the New York seaboard of the New York Central, the Erie and the Pennsylvania. He practically admitted that the other refiners had to come to his terms or go to the wall.

There is no immunity or statute of limitations in this monopoly business. All the government attorneys have to do is to establish a continuity of offence.

Despondent Man Takes His Life

SACRAMENTO, Nov. 28.—Despondent over financial loses, crazed by drink and conscience-stricken at the anticipated severance of friendship ties by his benefactor, Dr. F. H. Metcalf, Herbert Quine, a native of the Isle of Man, and for years, off and on, a resident of this city, committed suicide in his room in the rear of the doctor's office, 922½ J street, following a day and a night of debauchery, by taking poison today.

Quine came to the United States ten years ago in search of a fortune. His family on the Isle of Man is a prominent one and rated quite wealthy. Quine lost several thousand dollars in a search for gold in placer mines.

United Railroads Pays City Taxes

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—The United Railroads today paid to the municipal treasury $230,879.81, which includes the first tax installment due the city and the city's share of the company's gross earnings.

New Russian Suits

Our variety of Russian Suits could not well be more inclusive—comprising everything new in styles from the foremost designers. They are especially tailored for us by the most expert workmen.

Our Little Russian Suits are a source of delight to all the mothers who have seen our exceptional variety for this season; ages 2 to 6. Priced at $3.95

A comparison will convince you that we are THE SUPREME Juvenile Clothing Establishment of Oakland.

Smith's Money-Back-Store
Washington Street, Corner Tenth

THINKS BURGLAR IS GETTING EVEN

Chicago Banker Tells Police His Theory of Recent Robberies.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—John V. Clarke, president of the Hibernian Banking Association, has started the police on a still hunt for a burglar-Nemesis, who, he believes, robbed his residence Wednesday evening in execution of a vow made twelve years ago.

At that time Mr. Clarke surprised a burglar in his house. The robber was sentenced by Judge Windes to twelve years in the penitentiary. As he was leaving the courtroom he glared at Mr. Clarke and hissed:

"I'll see you again as soon as I'm free."

He was liberated a few weeks ago. This fact, coupled with the discrimination shown in choosing only easily pawned "loot," convinced Mr. Clarke that the man who robbed his house this week is an old-timer and probably is the same one that robbed him before.

Mrs. Clarke and Miss Mary Rend were dining on the floor below while the burglar ransacked the bedrooms of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke. He carried off "loot" valued at $2000, but a portion of this, because of association, was considered priceless by the owners.

FRENCH CRUISER IN SAN PEDRO HARBOR

SAN PEDRO, Nov. 28.—The French cruiser Catinat, flagship of the French Pacific squadron, arrived at San Pedro today for a week's stay. The officers were greeted by a reception committee from the Los Angeles French colony. It is understood that the flagship will proceed from San Pedro to South America.

POULTRY SHOW TO ECLIPSE ALL OTHERS

Exhibition Will Be the Finest Ever Held on the Pacific Coast.

California's greatest poultry show will open at Idora Park Wednesday, December 2, at 1 p. m., and continue throughout the week, closing Sunday night, December 6. The Alameda County Poultry Association, under whose management the exhibition will be held, certainly deserves all the encouragement possible. The association has for several years sought to elevate the poultry exhibitions and to make the Oakland show the leading one of the Pacific coast. This year they have reached their goal. The forthcoming show will be the largest exclusively poultry show ever held on the Pacific coast, being greater than the poultry show at the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

Fowls have been entered from every point on the coast, and local fanciers will have their best birds on hand to hold the ribbons in Alameda county. The officers of the association are C. D. Postel, president; James Standfield, vice president, C. G. Hinds, secretary, H. V. Willcutt, treasurer, E. K. Healy, superintendent; A. Norton, assistant secretary; J. R. Crow, Thomas Lewis and H. V. Willcutt, show committee. The officiating judge, M. S. Gardner, comes direct from Madison Square, New York, and is recognized as one of the leading poultry judges in the United States.

This will be Mr. Gardner's first visit to California, and to officiate at the best show ever held will be certainly an additional feather in his cap. The five handsome prize cups donated by THE TRIBUNE attracted large entries from the various districts of Alameda county. One will be given for the best display from Berkeley, one from Alameda, one from Haywards and vicinity, one from Frietvale and vicinity and one from Niles and vicinity. Something over forty cups have been offered by the association, and are now on exhibition in the show windows of H. Morton, Fourteenth and Broadway.

Judging will commence Tuesday morning, December 1, and it is hoped that every ribbon will be posted by the opening hour.

ANNOUNCEMENTS. ANNOUNCEMENTS.

STARTED YESTERDAY

THE SALE THAT HAS CAPTURED ALL OAKLAND STARTED AT 9 O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING AND SUCH SELLING OF PIANOS AND PLAYER PIANOS

Has Never Before Been Recorded by Kohler & Chase, and They've Many a Great Record to Overcome—Customers From the City Across the Bay, and From the Country Around Crowded Their Big Oakland Store at 1015 Broadway, and It Is Safe to Say Twenty-five to Thirty Homes Were Furnished Pianos—Reductions Are Greater Than Ever Before on Dependable Pianos and Player Pianos.

A sale that has swept all the country before it is now going on—we refer to the Kohler & Chase great annual clearance sale of fine, new and used Pianos and Player Pianos, which started yesterday morning and will continue until a general clearance is made of their large assortment of the most reliable instruments sold on this Coast.

All the new pianos are Kohler & Chase standards of different well known makes, the highest known values. The used pianos are from their best rentals and pianos taken as a part payment on Weber and Steck Grands and genuine Pianola pianos—good instruments every one—especially after going through the Kohler & Chase repair shops. Each and every instrument is fully warranted and can be exchanged at full purchase price at any time within two years on a more expensive selection. You take no risk. We guarantee absolute satisfaction or no sale.

HOLIDAYS COMING.

And so many little expenditures for the average family caused us to make the terms of payment very light, especially the first and second $5, $10 or $15, according to the instrument selected—the rest on regular terms, which are very reasonable and to suit your convenience.

A HUSBAND OR FATHER

With only $175 to $200 to invest in a piano has a wonderfully attractive assortment of good durable, well-made pianos to choose from here. He doesn't find all the desirable instruments confined to the more expensive makes, because we have taken off of the regular prices—which were at all times 20 to 25 per cent and more below the same grades sold at other stores—the clearance sale reductions running from $100 to $150. On some instruments the reductions are about half regular price.

USED PIANOS.

Nearly all makes—Weber, Steinway, Fischer, Kurtzman, Hobart M. Cable's, Vose & Son's, Decker Bros', Kimball, Starr, Kohler & Campbell's, Winthrop's Marchall, Wendell's, Hoffman's, Ivers & Pond, Brinkerhoff's and twenty other makes, ranging in price from $70 up.

SMALL GRANDS.

Several from short rentals—others used, but in splendid condition—Geo. Steck, Weber, Iver & Pond, Fischer and other standard makes, prices $310, $495 and $510. Payments will be very moderate; exchange privilege given.

NEW PIANOS $195.

Do not compare them with pianos selling elsewhere at $250. That wouldn't be fair. Compare them with the best $300, yes $325, pianos you've seen in other Oakland stores. We have specialized the above to show the advantage of this clearance sale, but there are plenty other new pianos in this sale—the best pianos we know of that sell regularly at $350, $375 and $500, now at $296, $287 and $368, while the finest $600 models are going at $395 to $429. Each and every reduction is genuine. The savings are real.

No matter what you are offered elsewhere, take time to come here. Investigate. Compare our values and prices and terms with those found elsewhere. Others are coming to Kohler & Chase, 1015 Broadway, because they know when this house advertises a bargain, it is a bargain and worth coming to see. Judge as critically as possible, and act accordingly. Buy where values are best.

Kohler & Chase
1015 Broadway

Society Taking Great Interest in West Oakland Home Doll Show

FLORENCE LAUTER,
Who Will Take Part at the Doll Show.
—Belle-Ondry Photo.

Through the active efforts of the president and her able directorate Oakland society is taking keen, personal interest in the approaching doll show, to be given by the West Oakland Home.

At receptions and pink teas, in the theater and at public gatherings, the project is discussed, and the warm-hearted ladies induce every one they can to push it along.

And not by word only, but by constant deed as well, the ladies have made good. Some are busy dressing the 1000 dolls that will be shown, others are embroidering fancy aprons, knitting shawls, and making knick-knacks. Some are on the decorating and refreshment committees; others are making fine candies; others, again, are actively preparing mystery booths and toy tables, and arranging the entertainment features.

"You must help our babies," is the dogan of these ladies.

Dainty Candies.

Among Oakland's smart hostesses are many that have acquired reputation for their skill in making candies. Not a few of our most stylish matrons are credited with being able to put the best professional confectioners far into the shade.

At the suggestion of the directors of the West Oakland Home, these ladies have cheerfully come forward and promise to contribute of their very best to the candy table, which it is hoped to make quite a prominent feature at the doll show given by the home. Everybody is to have a chance of sampling the sweets prepared by the fair hands of these ladies, dainties reserved usually for their friends and closest acquaintancer.

Mrs. Eugene Van Court will be chairman of the candy booth, and will be assisted by

Mrs. Wm. Wesphal	Mrs. Ben Wolmer
Mrs. Sugehorn	Mrs. A. Wilson
Mrs. P. Laufer	Mrs. R. Whitehead
Mrs. F. E. Reed	Mrs. W. Waldman
Mrs. R. L. Reed	Mrs. Leon Hall

The handkerchief table will be under

To Sell Kerchiefs.

the chairmanship of Mrs. A. C. Dietz, who will have as her corps of assistants

Mrs. Harry Bishop	Mrs. H. E. Peach
Miss Jackson	Mrs. H. J. Langdon
Mrs. W. Winton	Mrs. A. W. Kroenke
Miss Curtis	Mrs. C. J. Hoeseman
Mrs. H. D. Smith	Mrs. J. W. Umphred
Mrs. G. W. Reed	Dr. Uth
Mrs. R. Boyer	Mrs. Mehrmann

Bags A-Plenty.

Mrs. C. F. Baker will preside at the bag table and will be assisted by

Miss Ethel Shed	Mrs. A. Kemp
Mrs. M. Broadwell	Mrs. W. Kidd
Mrs. Geo. Pritch	Mrs. E. Lehnhardt
Mrs. R. E. French	Mrs. H. Lang
Mrs. C. B. Griswold	Mrs. J. Parsons
Mrs. John Gordon	Mrs. Geo. C. Pardee
Mrs. C. F. Hall	Miss Etta Penniman
Mrs. John Hanay	Mrs. D. D. Stutis
Mrs. J. W. Kessler	

There will be a table where may be found attractive pieces of fancy work, and where will be found Mrs. J. A. Miller residing, having as her assistants

Mrs. W. D. Smith	Mrs. T. B. Draper
Mrs. V. A. Boill	Mrs. W. E. Elliott
Mrs. H. W. Bishop	Mrs. F. Hood
Miss P. Binning	Mrs. R. Holmes
Mrs. M. I. Hon	Mrs. De Lemater
Miss Ellen Christy	Mrs. W. D. Reed
Mrs. B. N. De Leon	Mrs. Frank Leavitt
Mrs. B. F. Dunn	Mrs. E. H. Lohman

Boys' Table.

The boys' table will have Mrs. F. H. Fernhoff as its chairman. She will be assisted by

Mrs. Donaldson	Mrs. C. Bougior
Mrs. J. Laughland	Mrs. W. Angus
Mrs. R. C. Monroe	Mrs. A. L. Adams
Mrs. J. Rossgrule	Mrs. R. Day
Mrs. F. Barnett	Mrs. W. Donahue
Mrs. F. W. Biliger	

Lemonade will be served at a table where Mrs. J. M. Umphred will be the chairman, assisted by Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Hartwig, Mrs. A. W. Trescott and Mrs. William Kent.

ACCUSES HUSBAND OF TAKING CHILD

Mrs. May Sharp Searching for Her Four-Year-Old Daughter.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Mrs. May Sharp of San Rafael is vainly searching for her four-year-old daughter, Odette, whom she declares was kidnaped by her husband at 4 o'clock in the morning and whom she has not seen in five weeks.

The mother is nearly heart-broken over her loss. She has had detectives on her husband's trail and all her friends are aiding her in the search. She describes the little girl as having big brown eyes, light hair and being very pretty.

Mrs. Sharp told a sad story of marital troubles today. She declared her husband, Walter Sharp, was a trusted employe of the Northwestern Pacific Railroad and was in charge of the telegraph station at D street, San Rafael. They had their own home, which was furnished by the railroad company, and, although they had disagreements, for the sake of the child they never separated.

"About six weeks ago he lost his position with the railroad," said Mrs. Sharp. "He failed to contribute to our support and I brought suit for a divorce. Pending the hearing of the case, we agreed to leave the child in care of Mrs. Driscoll of San Rafael. About five weeks ago he visited Mrs. Driscoll at 4 o'clock in the morning and told her he was going to take the child to me. Since then we have not seen either him or the child. I believe he is in this vicinity. He is not a fit person to care for Odette as he is a drinking man."

Mrs. Sharp describes her husband as being a small man, has brown eyes and black, curly hair. The police have been notified and are searching for the man.

HUMAN ROULETTE WHEEL IS LATEST LONDON CRAZE

LONDON, Nov. 28.—The "Fun City," which, in addition to a great roller skating rink, is to be the Christmas attraction at Olympia, will introduce several novel amusement devices, chiefly of American origin.

Conspicuous will be "the human roulette wheel," which has never been seen in this country before. It is a flat, circular table revolving on a pivot. A throng of pleasure seekers take their places upon it. Then it begins to revolve, and as its speed increases the passengers are, one by one, swept off and find themselves in a series of padded "pockets" which surround the table.

"Certain of these pockets are distinguished from the others. People who are precipitated into some have additional rides free of charge, while prizes are attached to others. Thus it becomes the passenger's aim, when he finds himself being "shunted" off the board, to reach a certain pocket, but this is said to be an extremely difficult matter to gauge.

$100,000 LOSS BY FIRE.

CRIPPLE CREEK, Colo., Nov. 28.—The mill and shaft house at the Joe Dandy mine were destroyed by fire today. The loss is estimated at $150,000. Insurance, $40,000.

FREE TO THE RUPTURED

A New Home Cure That Anyone Can Use Without Operation, Pain, Danger or Loss of Time.

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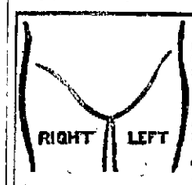
This means better health, increased physical ability and longer life. My free offer is too important to neglect a single day. Write now and begin your cure at once. Send no money. Simply mail coupon below. Do it to-day.



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MAY PLACE DUTY ON OREGON PINE

Canadian Lumber Men Up in Arms Against Invasion By American Products.

WELLINGTON, N. Z., Nov. 28.—The dominion timber trade has been so seriously affected by the increasing importation of Oregon pine that an influential deputation of local sawmill owners and timber merchants today petitioned the Premier to impose a duty on Oregon lumber. Many mills in the dominion already have been forced to close down and others will have to follow suit shortly.

The premier proposed that he would appoint a royal commission to investigate the matter. He said that when the present agreement expired, April 27, 1909, the government would refuse to renew the subsidies to steamers carrying timber against the interests of dominion workers but he said it was impossible to deal with the question of duty before the next meeting of Parliament.

CITIZENS AGAINST INDIA BASIN GRANT

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—The Mission Promotion Association and the Islais Creek Inland Harbor Association of San Francisco and upward of fifty residents and business men of the city have signed a communication which was forwarded to the supervisors today protesting against the granting of the spur-track privilege for which an application is now pending from the Rincon Hill Improvement Company.

STATE AFTER TIDE LANDS.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 28.—The people of the State of California are represented by Attorney General Webb, who is plaintiff in two suits against the Banning company and the Kerckhoff-Cuzner Lumber company to quiet title to tide lands of Wilmington harbor which were filed in the superior court here today. The Pacific Electric railway is joined as a defendant in one of the suits.

CUBA MAY OBTAIN 30 MILLION LOAN

Approach of Time for Evacuation by Troops Leads Officials to Get Busy.

NEW YORK, Nov. 28. — Cable advices received here from Havana say that as the time for the evacuation by the American troops is drawing near, Governor Magoon and President-elect Gomez will hold a conference on Sunday next to discuss important matters pertaining to the future conduct of the Cuban government, particularly the question of meeting some of the pressing treasury obligations.

It is said in Havana that a loan of $30,000,000 will be necessary, and according to the present understanding Speyer & Co., of New York, will take it up.

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3d—No. 10	Chalmers Detroit	Lorimer	Michelins "As Usual"
4th—No. 11	Buick	Hearne	Michelins "As Usual"
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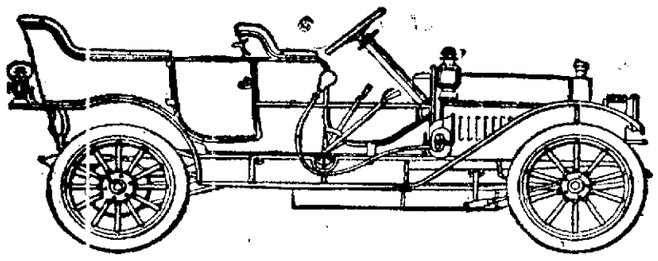

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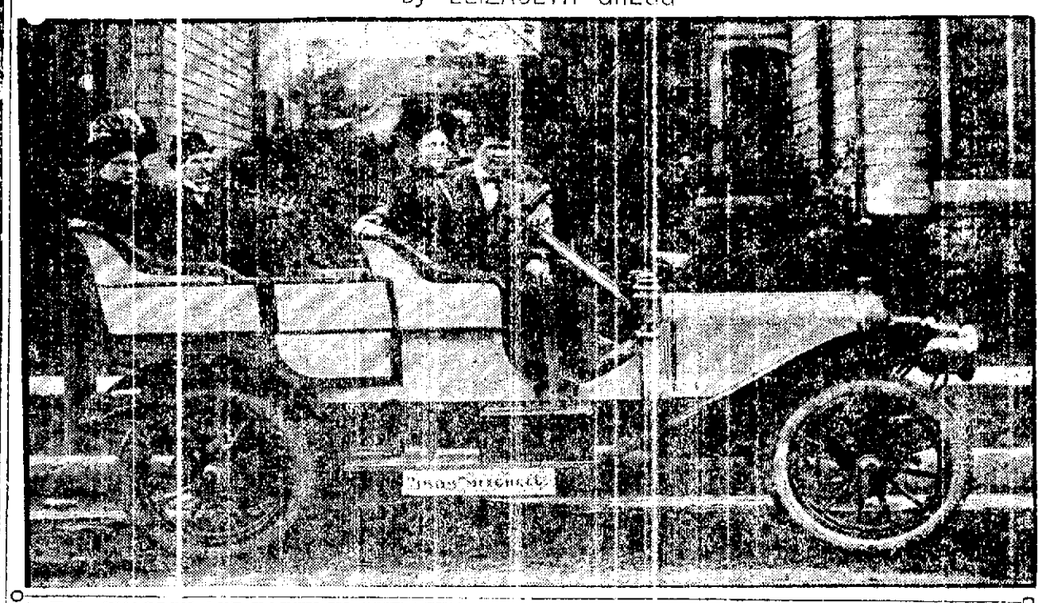
MITCHELL DEMONSTRATOR FOR OAKLAND

Popular Car Now Seen in Newest Model

By ELIZABETH GREGG



E. L. PEACOCK AND PARTY IN THE NEW MITCHELL TOURING CAR. MISS ELIZABETH GREGG AT THE WHEEL. —Knight & Mohn Photo.

E. L. Peacock, Oakland manager for Osen & Hunter, is now satisfied in that this week brought a Mitchell demonstrator for the Oakland agency. So much has been written about the $1500 Mitchell that the general public has been waiting eagerly to see whether the car was as good as announced from the East. The first car arrived in San Francisco several weeks ago, and Mr. Hunter has taken numerous orders. The many inquirers on this side of the bay have been forced to cross to the other side for a demonstration, or to wait until the first carload arrived. With Thanksgiving came the first shipment, and in it the handsome car now to be seen on Webster street. Mitchell owners in Oakland are now expected to increase from one hundred and fifty to two hundred within a short time. The car which the Mitchell factory is offering this year at popular prices is a 30 horsepower, four-cylinder machine.

SAVANNAH RACES ARE MICHELIN TRIUMPH

Since the Savannah races this week the Michelin Tire Company's branch in San Francisco has been deluged with friends who wished to congratulate the manager on the latest victory for Michelin tires. Within one month the tires won a series of events which leaves few records to be broken. On October 3 and 3 in the Brighton Beach 24 hour race, 24 world's records were made in one race, Michelins being on the Simplex and the Renault, which beat them broke every world's record for a contest of this kind. In addition to this the Michelins won a new mile track record, bringing De Palma in the Fiat Cyclone around the mile course in 51 1-5 seconds in his trial for that distance. On October 10 at the Vanderbilt Motor Parkway everything was Michelin, taking first place in all events entered which were from four out of the five sweepstakes. On the same day Barney Oldfield's five mile world's record of 44 minutes 39 seconds was beaten at Narragansett Park, Providence, by De Palma in a Fiat Cyclone, so that Michelin tires held the new five mile record of 4 minutes 26 seconds.

The Vanderbilt cup race was the next victory. Robertson, the driver of the winning Locomobile, has written the following letter to the Michelin factory:

New York City, Oct. 28, 1908.

Michelin Tire Company, Milltown, N. J.

Gentlemen: I used Michelin anti-skid clincher tires and your 1908 demountable rims on the Locomobile No. 16 in which I won the 1908 Vanderbilt cup race. Both the tires and rims gave me such perfect service that I know I could not have won without them.

The anti-skids held in the course on the many turns and enabled me to make a new record for road racing in America.

I have been greatly impressed with their reliability and the regularity with which they have won every important contest during the last year, both here and abroad, but I did not really appreciate their quality until I used them personally and won the Vanderbilt race.

Michelins for me from this on.

Yours sincerely,
GEO. H. ROBERTSON.

With Savannah victories added to these records the Michelin tire people are now wondering what there is left to conquer for this year at least.

BUICKS ARE IN GREAT DEMAND

Charles Howard, coast agent for the Buick, is now at the company's factory in Flint, Mich., arranging for large shipments of Buicks to his territory. Mr. Howard writes that the factory is much enlarged and expects to turn out 20,000 machines this season, where it made 10,000 last year. The first shipment of Buicks, the two cylinder car, arrived in San Francisco yesterday. The factory will turn out sixty cars a day and the Howard Automobile Company is hoping to secure several carloads weekly for the next few months in order to meet the great demand. The popularity of the Buick has been proven in Oakland recently, for in the week in which Mr. Christensen has had the agency in this place he has taken orders for eight cars, and even sold his demonstrator to one enthusiastic and impatient buyer.

AUTOMOBILE NOTES

A six-cylinder Winton landaulet ordered by Mrs. Phoebe Hearst is now in San Francisco at the Winton salesrooms, where it attracts much attention.

Herman De Vaux, Coast representative for the Auburn, writes from Oregon that he has sold twenty-five cars in that State. Mr. De Vaux is on his way to the Auburn factory in Indiana, and will not return for several weeks. The four-cylinder 1909 Auburn is expected during the coming week.

Automobile enthusiasts who predict the disappearance of the horse now go so far as to say that the motor car will even take the place of the runner on the race tracks. Their argument is that the running thoroughbred is almost a distinct species, bred for racing and unfit for anything else, and that there will be a distinct species of racing motor car to furnish sport on circular tracks.

Dr. Buteau and Dr. Shannon of Oakland, and A. P. Thomas of Alameda have ordered 1909 Ramblers.

H. L. Pelton of the Auto-Vehicle Company is at present in Fresno on a short business trip.

Mr. E. Heattie has returned from a trip to Sonora and surrounding territory, covering a distance of over 400 miles, in his Pullman car, without a moment's delay for adjustment or tire trouble and states that his machine is doing remarkable work.

M. H. DeYoung, of the San Francisco Chronicle, is the latest to purchase the new Diamond Demountable rim, having placed on order for two sets for his cars today.

F. R. Fageol is again in charge of the Rambler agency in Oakland, and states that he considers the present state of the automobile business to be beter than it has been for a year and a half.

The Frank O. Renstrom Company has received word from the factory that the '09 models of the Pullmans have been shipped, and their arrival is expected daily.

RACING CARS ATTRACT CROWDS

Judging from the interest taken in Walter Christie's car, named the Record Breaker, which is now on exhibition in the garage of the Auto Livery Co., on Van Ness avenue, there will be a crowd at Tanforan next Saturday and Sunday. Oldfield and his 90-horsepower Stearns are no less an attraction.

The entry list for the stock car is not yet filled, but there will be a Buick White Streak, and presumably several others. The Comet, the local car which has been denied entry into several races this fall because it was said not come under the qualifications for a stock car, will enter as a racing car and compete with the high-powered Eastern cars. Frank Free will drive, and there are already many people betting that he can drive the Comet to victory; in other words, that a San Francisco car and driver can beat these professional racers at their own game.

Automobiles and carriages will be admitted free, the occupants only must have tickets.

The cars will be permitted to drive in the infield, while the track will be policed and no one will be allowed on it. The first event for motor cycles has many entries and is far from closed.

Miles in less than a minute are assured, as Oldfield, Soules and Christie expect to turn the track easily in less than the time that it takes the second hand to circle the dial, while the Christie car can be expected to perform in a sensational manner.

Fine trophies will be given for the amateur drivers, and cash for the professionals. The races will start at 2:30 p. m. each afternoon, while the starting time will be observed.

A music concert will start at 1:30 and continue during the intermissions for the entire afternoon.

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between 14 and 16 years of age, permanent employment; good opportunities for advancement; wages $20 to start. Apply in person, bringing school certificate and references, Shreve & Co., Van Ness and Sacramento, S. F.

BOYS and girls make big money after school and spare time selling our holiday goods. Apply 572 10th st., after 5 p. m., room 6.

BODY ironer, must be experienced in ironing white coats. Apply 28th and Filbert.

CALENDAR salesman, experienced in the sale of advertising calendars; large line, best selling styles, imported and domestic, new line for 1909 ready Jan. 1, 1909, deal with main office direct; no middlemen. Address with references, Aug. Gast Bank Note & Litho. Co., St. Louis, Mo.

CIVIL service employes are paid well for easy work, examinations of all kinds soon; expert advice, sample questions and booklet 247, describing positions and telling easiest and quickest way to secure them free; write now. Washington Civil Service School, Washington, D. C.

CIVIL service examinations will soon be held in every State; full information and questions used by the commission free. Columbian Correspondence College, Washington, D. C.

CIGAR salesman wanted in this territory; experience unnecessary; $110 a month and $5 a day expenses. Mumme Wholesale Cigar Co., Toledo, Ohio.

EARN big money at home making incandescent mantels; retail for 25c and 25c; cost 2c to make; demand unlimited; complete, simple instructions sent upon receipt of 50c. The Aetna Co., P. O. Box 120, Oakland, Cal.

HELPER wanted for vest. 1720 San Pablo ave.

MEN wanted quickly by big Chicago mail order house to distribute catalogs, advertise; $25 weekly; $60 expense allowance. Manager, Dept. 31, 385 Wabash ave., Chicago.

MARRIED man to take charge of dishwashing department; must have first-class references; apply after 10 a. m. Lehnhardt's, 1159 Broadway.

OFFICES, stores and factories in this city are filled with workers secured through our ads.

RAILWAY mail clerk examination soon; preparation free. Franklin Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED at once, 7 quartz miners, 1 electrical engineer, 1 mill man, 1 engineer for hoist, steady employment at union wages; must have $500 each to invest in the best gold mining property in State of Nevada. For particulars call on or address R. W. Harris, 1204 Market st., Oakland. Phones Oakland 4736, Home A-3524.

WANTED—A man of executive ability to fill position in the renting department of a large general real estate office in Oakland; salary to commence $100; applicant must be married and over 30 years of age; good references required. Reply to box 6048, Tribune, giving all necessary data, references, etc.

WANTED—Real estate salesmen on easiest selling tract in Alameda county; streets improved, sewer and water mains in; buildings started; electric and local service. Apply 1015½ Broadway, room 12.

WANTED—5 good solicitors to solicit live stock insurance; good thing for right man; none but good solicitors and hustlers need apply. Call Sunday bet. 10 a. m. and 1 p. m., 307 Oak. Bank of Savings Bldg.

WANTED—A1 salesman to carry side lines; the well known talismanic belt dressing; liberal commissions. Apply or write to T. H. Taney, General Western Agent, 2131 Center st., Berkeley.

WANTED—Young man to make himself generally useful in a market, one having some experience in the butcher business preferred. Apply 3449 High st., Fruitvale.

WANTED—Railway mail clerks, commencement salary $800; many examinations soon; preparation free; write immediately. Franklin Institute, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—Man to work on dairy ranch, near Turlock. Apply to R. W. Sweet, 14th and Market sts., Oakland, Cal. Phones, Oakland 4736, Home A-2324.

WANTED—Boy, 15 or 18 years old. Apply Bowman's drug store, Center and Shattuck ave., Berkeley.

WANTED—Cigar clerks, with references. Apply immediately, Peerless Cigars, 400 8th st.

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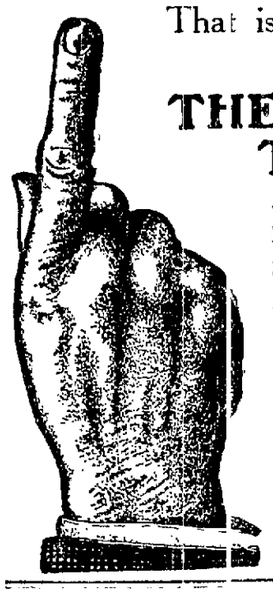

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AA—WANTED—A GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSEWORK AND COOKING; GOOD HOME AND GOOD WAGES TO RIGHT PARTY. PHONE PIEDMONT 1025.

A GOOD business woman of refined appearance to help in our educational work; compensation good, 9 to 12, 105 Bacon building.

AAA—LEARN typewriting, office and business practice; tuition free, car fare paid. 802 Madison st.

A BUSINESS woman of good appearance and refined wanted at 227 San Pablo ave.; no soliciting.

A GIRL of about 16 wanted to take care of two children. Apply today between 2 and 5 at 858 53d st.

A NEAT sewing girl for dressmaker, one familiar with dressmaking shop work; $1. Blume, Oakland 9245.

A—RED CROSS office, 91 Harrison—Cook, $35; general, $30; assist, $15.

A YOUNG girl to assist in housework. 308 San Pablo ave.

COLORED lady manicures, take $2 daily; Taylor's Hair and Dandruff Remedy, 25 cents; for short, hard hair; druggists or mail. Taylor Remedy Co., Louisville, Ky.

COOK, $40; general, $40; second, $30; nurse, $30. 1469 Grove, near 20th.

ELDERLY lady wanted to assist in housework; good home; small wages. Apply 1430 Paru st., Alameda, in forenoons.

FRENCH girl wanted in Berkeley to help take care of 2 children; name wages, address; lady will write or call. Box 1152, Tribune.

GOOD girl, not over 30 years old, for cooking and housework; small flat, 2 grown people; gas range; lots of spare time, wages $25. Apply between 1 and 3 p. m. or evenings, 418 Central ave., Alameda, near 5th st., narrow-gauge station.

GIRL with business education for attorney's office; experience not necessary. Box 6131, Tribune.

GIRL or woman, light housework, plain cooking, two in family, keep home if preferred. 506 62d st.

IN Alameda—Experienced second girl and wait at table, references. Phone Alameda 38.

LADIES, make money selling guaranteed silks direct from looms; all any length; 1-3 saved; express prepaid; write for information. Lyons Silk Works, 229 5th ave., New York.

LADY agents are making $25 per week selling our good line of necessities; no scheme, particulars free; write us now. Young, 131 Dearborn st., Dept. 8, Chicago.

LADY sewers, make silk dresses at home; materials furnished; $15 per 100; particulars stamped envelope. Dept. 688, Imperial Shield Co., St. Louis.

LADIES, make belts at home; material furnished cut; $15 per 100; particulars stamped envelope. Unique Specialty Co., Drawer 218, Baltimore, Md.

LADIES, good pay on ribbon work, anywhere, $6 to $15 week, sample 25c. Johnstone, box 185, Alameda, Cal.

LADIES—Pleasant home work, $1.50 daily; send stamp. Manager, L., 3455 Wabash ave., Chicago.

LADIES—Good pay on ribbon work, anywhere, sample 2c. Box 46, Robinson, Middletown, Conn.

LADIES stamping patterns, home work; exp. unnecess. Tricher, Bulletin bldg., 767 Market st., 3d floor, room 4.

LADIES to take home work, exp. unnecessary. Tricher, Bulletin bldg., 767 Mkt., 3d floor, r. 4.

MIDDLE-AGED woman for general housework and assist with child. 2156 Linden st., cor. 34th and San Pablo.

NEW METHOD EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 2569 Shattuck ave., Berkeley, wants good domestic help for good positions.

NEAT young girl to assist with housework and the care of two children, $15 to $20. Telephone Piedmont 3587.

RELIABLE girl to assist with care of three children. 600 37th st.

SERVICES of an educated refined business woman; this is not an office position, but one that will yield a larger income with shorter hours. Address Box 6319, Tribune.

STUDENTS to prepare for positions. Oakland Millinery School, 603 14th st.

THOROUGHLY experienced forelady for confectionary store. 21 S. Center st., Berkeley.

WANTED—Young white girl for housework and cooking, small family; small house; good wages; apply mornings. 44 Wayne ave., East Oakland; take 4th ave. car, get off at E. 19th st. and walk toward lake.

WANTED—A few bright, intelligent women to assist in selling lots in a close-in subdivision; street improvements all made; experience not necessary. Apply rooms 11, 12 and 14, 1016½ Broadway.

WANTED—A Japanese young woman for general housework, must be good cook; 3 in family; good wages; give house or telephone number. Address box 6190, Tribune.

WANTED—An experienced girl or middle-aged woman to do general housework, good permanent home for the right person. Phone Merritt 3561.

WANTED—First-class milliner, handsome living rooms; owner called away, strictly business woman. 634 13th st., new store.

WANTED—Young lady to travel; work in vaudeville act; all first-class bookings. Call 3 days from 11 to 4, rooms 14 and 15, Gallindo Hotel.

WANTED—Good girl with references to cook and assist housework; steady position. Call 10 to 2 p. m., 1044 Telegraph ave.

WANTED—Experienced cookery saleslady. Apply Schluter's, 2119 Shattuck ave., Berkeley.

WANTED—A woman to do cooking and general housework in small family. Apply 2567 Regent st., Berkeley.

WANTED—Reliable woman or girl to take care baby afternoon. Phone Oakland 7295, or call 928 Perry st.

WANTED—A reliable young woman to assist with housework and care of children. Phone Home A-1 94.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE (Continued)

WANTED—Competent girl for cooking and downstairs work. 95 Euclid ave., Oakland.

WANTED—A woman for general housework. Apply 1109 Bay st., Alameda, Sunday morning.

WANTED—Girl for light housework; references required. Apply side entrance 539 41st st., apartment 12.

WANTED—A lady, between 25 and 35, to keep house. Address J. C. Kyle, general delivery, Oakland, Cal.

WANTED—Ladies $1 to $5 daily at home; send stamped envelope for particulars. Ladies' Aid, box 231, Alameda, Cal.

WOMAN'S Exp. Exch., Albany Bldg., phone Oakland 3359; no reliable help furnished.

WANTED—A competent girl for general housework; 2 in family; wages $30. Apply 2427 Vine st., Berkeley.

WOMAN or girl to assist in light housework. 150 Milton ave.

When "out of work" see that a want ad is "busy" in your behalf.

WANTED—Infant's nurse; English, Swede or American. Phone Merritt 647.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. 2517 Bonvouloir ave., Berkeley.

WANTED—First-class laundress. Address box 6367, Tribune.

YOUNG girl for candy factory. 1071 Kirkham st., cor. 12th, W. Oakland.

SALESMEN—SOLICITORS.

ATTRACTIVE young women to sell work, excellent opportunity; call Tuesday a. m. 633 First National Bank Building, Oakland.

SALESMEN WANTED—Thousands of good openings for the spring rush; salesmen earn big salaries, $1800 to $10,000 a year and expenses; why be contented with a $10 to $25 a month position when you can earn from two to ten times as much and yet your expenses besides? We will teach you to be an expert salesman. We will teach you to be one by mail in your week and assist you to secure a good position, no former experience required; hundreds of our graduates placed in good positions. If you are ambitious and want to increase your earnings write for call at our nearest office for our free book, "A Knight of the Grip." It will tell you how. Address Dept. 564, National Salesman's Training Assn., San Francisco, Kansas City, Minneapolis, Chicago, New York.

WANTED—Men and women to sell 8 per cent guaranteed securities; experience not necessary; special offer one salesman made $300 a week, you can do as well. Address box 6198, Tribune.

WANTED—Lady agents in good personal appearance to a fine textile article. Apply money for active solicitors, call between 10 and 12 at no. 1561 7th st.

WANTED—Two young men of good appearance to sell household article. Apply Monday 8 o'clock. 165 12th st.

WANTED—Good solicitor; reliable firm. Standard Dye Works, 1 19 11 14th st., near 23d ave.

WANTED—Experienced shelters; good pay, call evenings. 56 90th st.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS wanted for a high-class, beautifully printed and illustrated dollar-a-year woman's magazine; commission, fifty cents on each dollar subscription; write for agent's free outfit. American Home Monthly, 5 Hardy street, New York.

AGENTS wanted everywhere to sell our wonderful place and furniture polish; something new; quick sales and big profits; gentlemen or ladies, experience unnecessary. 1212 Clay st., Oakland.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

AA—WANTED—Position, Saturday evenings, from 6 o'clock, by young married man employed in daytime; clerk, clerical or able to take charge of gent's furnishings. Box 6132, Tribune.

A SWEDISH gardener wishes position on small private place; understands horses and automobiles, best Oakland references. Box 6036, Tribune.

A JAPANESE student, gentle and honest, wants position, schoolboy or housework; Oakland, Berkeley. H. S., 1710-A Post st., San Francisco.

A YOUNG man experienced in paperhanging, etc., would like work. Box 6112, Tribune.

A JAPANESE wants position to help cook or housework, with small wages. Frank Tsai, 202 9th st.

A JAPANESE student wants position as schoolboy. Box 6130, Tribune.

A JAPANESE boy want position; cooking, housework. Tel. Oakland 1375.

A THOROUGHLY competent bookkeeper desires position. Box 6293, Tribune.

BARTENDER—Sober, reliable, wants position; experience, city or country. Box 6137, Tribune.

CHAUFFEUR, thoroughly competent; ten years' experience; can make attractive proposition to owner of good car. Box 6124, Tribune.

COACHMAN or man about private place; is good gardener, good references. M. K., 718 7th st.

CARPENTER, first-class finisher, reasonable. P. O. box 453, Berkeley.

CARPENTER, first class, wants jobbing work at $3 a day. Box 6298, Tribune.

CARPENTER wants work $3.50 per day. Box 6211, Tribune.

CARPENTER, first class finisher, will work cheap. Box 6215, Tribune.

CHINESE wants position, cook in hotel or restaurant. Charley Toy, 308 5th st.

ELECTRICIAN and gas engine expert wants situation; understands storage battery and isolated plant work. W. H. W., 2036 Bancroft way, Berkeley, Cal. Phone Berkeley 69.

GOOD Japanese boy wants position, housework, store or hotel; many years' experience. Henry Ogawa. Phone Oakland 1844.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE—(Continued.)

GOOD strong young man not afraid of work, wants position of any kind; good references. Box 6291, Tribune.

HONEST Japanese wants situation as housework or schoolboy in nice family. Sakai, 719 10th st. Phone Oakland 9549.

If you want to reach the people of Alameda County, use THE TRIBUNE classified columns.

JAPANESE wants a position in a family as laundry man, with or without little side work. S. W. H., 856 Franklin.

JAPANESE wants to get situation as schoolboy in Oakland. Address box 6372, Tribune.

JAPANESE boy wants situation; good cooking and wash clothes. Phone Oakland 7427.

MIDDLE-AGED German with ten years' experience in dry and grocery business wants position. 1275 Center st., Oakland.

MAN and wife would like work together, in or out of city. Address box 6370, Tribune.

MIDDLE-AGED man would like to take care of horses, or act as coachman. Address box 6461 13th ave.

SITUATION by man and wife, woman for cooking and man for general work, city or country. Address 1241 Broadway.

SITUATIONS wanted, man and wife, city or country, wife for cooking, man for other work. F. Hart, 1241 Broadway.

TO employ one more man in your business is to increase your importance in this community.

WANTED—Position with commercial firm; stenographer and typewriter, start at bottom, salary depends on future; not afraid of work, best references. Box 6151, Tribune.

WANTED—Position as bookkeeper by young married man with general knowledge of all office work. Box 5537, Tribune.

WANTED—Position as night watchman; can give best references. P. O. Box 881, Oakland. Res. 727 19th st.

YOUNG man, 20 years old, wants place in private family, where he can attend night school, small wages. Box 6381, Tribune.

YOUNG man, expert stenographer, would like evening work, say 7 to 11. Box 6116, Tribune; 18 Geary st., S. F.

YOUNG man, 20, experienced office clerk, desires clerical position; references. Box 6154, Tribune.

YOUNG man would like position driving, thoroughly acquainted with Oakland and vicinity. Box 6111, Tribune.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

A TRUSTWORTHY and competent young lady would like position as bookkeeper and cashier or in office work; best of references. Box 6191, Tribune, or phone Piedmont 1177.

YOUNG woman with child 8 years wants situation at housework; best references. 1616 Berkeley way, Berkeley.

COMPETENT laundress and house cleaner wants day work. Phone Oakland 3674.

RELIABLE young woman wishes care of sick or invalid; good references. Address 833 Cedar st., West Oakland.

GOOD cook, neat housekeeper, German element, no children in small family, reasonable. Box 6291, Tribune.

A YOUNG German woman wants light housework and sleep home. Box 40, Berkeley 2599.

A YOUNG woman wants day work; $1 half day. 1616 Berkeley way, Berkeley.

A COMPETENT woman wishes position as cook, city or country. 173 7th st.

DANISH woman wants housework by the day. Mrs. W. Nielsen, 2673½ B st., North Oakland.

COMPETENT woman wishes housework or cooking by week. Address box 6371, Tribune.

COMPETENT laundress wishes day work. Y, 265 30th st., near Harrison.

DRESSMAKER, experienced, wants sewing in families; $1.50 day and car fare. Phone Oakland 2568.

DRESSMAKER, experienced, accurate, neat, capable of doing any kind of work. Phone Oakland 8423.

EXPERIENCED dressmaker wishes sewing in families, $2.25. Oakland 2578.

EXPERIENCED woman cook wishes position in family, adults; wages $30 to $35. Box 6204, Tribune.

FOR holiday trade, managers needing an experienced saleslady phone Oakland 8655.

GIRL wishes cooking and housework, $5 week. Address box 6236, Tribune.

GOOD woman wants day work. 1165 Jefferson st., room 3. Home phone A-3432.

EXPERIENCED, reliable young woman desires upstairs work or take full charge of infant; best references, $25. 1207 Santa Clara ave., Alameda.

FIRST-CLASS cook private family; good references. Cottrill's Bureau, 325 8th.

GERMAN lady wants housework, no washing; call or write. Miss A. Asmus, 1524½ 7th st.

IN "looking for help" you will need the help of a "help wanted" ad.

LADY of refinement would like position as working housekeeper in home; no objection to one child. Box 6212, Tribune. Phone Oakland 5891.

LADY would like to take washing at home. Box 6214, Tribune.

NURSE, experienced, some training, desires employment; permanent or climate preferred. 461 E. 15th st., Oakland. Phone Merritt 778.

NURSE, 22 years' experience. Phone Oakland 6946.

POSITION as typewriter, some stenography; would assist in store; moderate salary. Box 6380, Tribune.

RESPECTABLE, experienced married woman wants work of any kind in hotel or rooming house, exchange for board and room for self and husband. Phone Oakland 6834.

REFINED young woman wishes position as housekeeper for couple or apartment house; references given. Address box 6389, Tribune.

RELIABLE girl wishes position for general housework from 8 a. m. to 4 p. m., will reside at home. 2203 Adeline st.

STEADY reliable widow wants work in country as cook for ranch men, has girl. S. Box 6118, Tribune.

STENOGRAPHER, educated and experienced, wishes position; A1 references. Box 5131, Tribune.

WANTED—By a first-class seamstress, engagements in families by the day to do fitted sewing; best of references from San Francisco. Please call or address Mrs. M., 215 12th st.

WANTED—Position as nurse or companion for invalid, or convalescent, willing to travel; or housekeeper for widower's family, will take full charge. Box 6399, Tribune.

WANTED—Position as second girl, private family preferred. Box 6373, Tribune.

WOMAN wants washing and cleaning, $1.25 day. Mrs. Y., 556 3d st., nr. City.

WANTED—Position as nurse in institution. Address Box 6208, Tribune.

WANTED—Place as second work; refs. Box 6379, Tribune.

WOMAN wants housework by the day; 65c and car in rear.

YOUNG lady bookkeeper and stenographer, with experience, desires a position. 1066 E. 20th st., Oakland.

YOUNG lady with experience would like a position as assistant bookkeeper and stenography. Box 6132, Tribune.

FURRIERS.

A COMPLETE line of "Fur Garments," remodeling, repairing and re-dyeing of seal jackets; lowest prices; best workmanship. J. Hertzberg, 535 13th st., bet. Washington and Clay sts.

GEORGE FOLDESY, OAKLAND FURRIER.
Up-to-date furs manufactured and sold; prices reasonable; first-class work; excellent fit; remodeling and redying; references given. 531 18th, near cor. San Pablo.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

A BUSY RESTAURANT

A-1 condition, newly renovated, business street, 10 per cent rent, pie cheap, owner selling account going East. Box 6, Tribune.

AAA—Now business; making money; $5000. Great investment and minor on to $10,000. Real estate and insurance business; old; needs young partner; $100. 802 Madison st. Don't phone.

A GOOD men's furnishing store, established and fine fixtures to be sold at once, or will exchange for old clothes. Address Tribune.

ARCHITECT would like to meet person, one who is able, with a view to forming partnership. Address box 6182.

BAKERY for rent, old stand above, new oven; centrally located. Address box 252 Woodland, Cal.

CAPITAL FURNISHED industrial, manufacturing, mining and railroad stock and bonds; direct to investors; on basis. Graham & Co., brokers, 35 Sacramento st., San Francisco.

CUTTER, or good contriver, has the offer, will get business; capital no good references. Box 5133, Tribune.

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FOR SALE or to rent, brand-new, elegantly furnished, family hotel, lights, phone in every room, private baths, large grounds; also and pool, tennis, tanning and boxing, rare opportunity, good profit, owner not a hotel man, must leave to be appreciated; terms reasonable. Inquire Palmetto, 2518 st., Oakland.

FIRST-CLASS delicatessen business in the central portion of Oakland, replacement grocery and bakery, low rent, lease can be had; must be sold at a bargain if taken at once; $750 cash, will stand. Montel Tyler Co., 1250 Broadway, Oakland.

FOR SALE—A first-class saloon, receipts from $1200 per month; rooms and rooming apartments; lease for 8 years or more; one block from Fruitvale; sacrifice if taken at once; reason of other business. E. Gribon, Fitchburg. Phone Merritt 1119.

FOR SALE—Grocery and fruit good and cheap; selling account sickness. 1212 Fruitvale ave.

FOR SALE—New and second-hand furniture store, on account of health; must sell; will take horse and buggy. 1036 Grove st.

FOR SALE—Grocery store, fine fresh stock, $1100. Population good. Apply grocery, 14th and Peralta.

FOR SALE—Bath and massage establishment; well established and thoroughly equipped. Phone Oakland 7187.

FOR SALE—$150, branch bakery, ice cream parlor; fine opportunity.

FOR SALE—A grocery business, corner 7th st. and Market st., Oakland.

FOR SALE—Planing mill; good location for small business. Box 6175, Tribune.

J. S. SKIRM & CO., 921 BROADWAY, OAKLAND. Phone Oakland 3765. Best short order restaurant in city; will lease with purchase.

WOOD and COAL YARD; only fitted place in Oakland; fails to be bought at a bargain; investigate now. Oakland Coal Co., 9th and Jefferson.

JOS. SEIBERT & CO., 921 BROADWAY.

ONLY $175 for Jewelry and repair store, fixtures; $8 rent; low rent pays well; must be sold owing to illness. W. C. Smith, owner, Elmhurst, opp. power house.

STORE to let; fine location for baker; will be ready for occupancy. Box 6150, Tribune.

WANTED—Planing mill man wants to meet man with cash to take interest and manage best little mill on the bay. Tribune.

14-ROOM apartment house, good $350 income; elegant furniture, modern; $3000.

27-room rooming house; the cadiest in Oakland; $3000.

Restaurant, first-class location; well equipped; $5000.

Cigar store, with newspaper route; $300, cash.

Grocery store, doing from $8 to $40 cash and credit per day; horse and wagon; living rooms; must sell; leaving city.

160 acres 2½ miles from town, 40 acres in asparagus, 5 acres vineyard; good building stock; fine fruit land; to exchange for Berkeley property.

EAST BAY REALTY CO., 969 Broadway, room 36.

$600—CLEAN and card rooms, rent $30.

$650 Grocery and branch bakery, corner, rent $22; 5 living rooms; receipts per day, $30.

$800 Cigar and restaurant; fine location; rent $55; 3-year lease; $1000 cash.

$1100 Bakery and ice cream parlor; $35 to $40 a day; large oven; $1100 cash; terms; illness.

$1750 Saloon in town, rent $25; $750 cash.

AUSTIN, 418 Broadway.

HORSES AND WAGONS.

A HORSE, buggy and harness, $25 up; house, wagon, harness, $30 up; 10 head of mares, mules, geldings; ponies on hand for sale or trade; $10 up; buggies, $10 up; harness, $5 up. Open Sun. 565 4th st., Oakland. Auction every Wednesday and Saturday at 11 a. m. Holiday ponies.

ALL kinds of horses for sale and exchange. 615 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Fine bay horse, 7 years old, fine top buggy, suitable for professional use; also first-class runabout buggy; $150 for sale, separately. White's Stable or the F. E. Realty Company, 2510 Shattuck ave., Berkeley.

FIVE-YEAR OLD mare, 1150 lbs.; good trotting stock. Pumyea Stable, 8th and Allen sts.

FOR SALE—Horse, harness and wagon, good for express; also cheap. 1035 7th st.

FOR SALE—Cheap; fine driving horse; top buggy and harness. Apply 913 E. 24th st., Oakland.

FOR SALE—A bay driving horse, 4 years old. Can be seen at Jackson Stable, 448 24th st.

FOR SALE—Gentle horse for light work; cheap. Call 1632 Harmon st., Berkeley.

FOR SALE—Cart good condition; $15. 624 23d st., Oakland.

SINGLE set buggy harness for sale cheap. 1201 Market st.

TRAVELING wagon, complete; cost $1400; live in a snap. Castro st., Oakland.

TEAMS for hire, also horses for sale; your own price at 1756 9th st.

TWO buggies and harness for sale. Apply 407 7th st., Oakland.

WANTED—Two medium-weight horses; feed and small remuneration will give better care than owner; also single delivery wagon. 7141 Phone Oak. 6063.

SEWING MACHINES.

BUY a White, which is a thoroughly high arm machine, ball-bearing throughout, splendid finish, lock stitch; only this is the best on earth. A few shop-worn machines and used ones at greatly reduced prices. White Sewing Machine Co., 1019 Phone Oakland 1122.

SEWING MACHINES—$3.50 up. SECOND HAND sewing machines cash or From $2.50 to $35; guaranteed 10 years; renting a specialty, $1 per week or month. J. D. Stallard, 1260 Clay, betw. 15th and 16th. Phone A-1 73.

FAIR GOODS.

CHARLES HOFFMAN & Co., manufacturers of Human Hair Goods, Manufacturers of Wigs and all kinds of Hair Goods. 476 Thirteenth st. Phone Oakland 5.

LOST AND FOUND.

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IF YOU FIND ANYTHING—Advertise it in

The Tribune Offices, Eighth and Franklin and 1058 Broadway.

THE LAW, Section 485, Penal Code of California, is strict in requiring finders of lost property to seek the owners through advertisement and, otherwise, and failure to do so, if it can be proven, involves a severe penalty.

FOUND—Few turkeys. Call first cottage on Rose ave., off High, Beulah Heights.

FOUND—Jersey heifer. Owner can have by paying expenses. 1137 11th st.

LOST—Tuesday evening, on 46th st. between Grove and Market sts., lady's gold watch and chain, Waltham works and monogram A. R. E. on smooth case. Please return to 889 46th st. and receive reward.

LOST—On Walnut st., between Vine and Dwight, a ladies' hand satchel; reward if returned to R. F. R. Strange, 2175 Shattuck ave.

LOST—A brown female dachshund, November 23, corner 40th and San Pablo. Return to 4109 Olive and receive reward.

LOST—Plain gold bracelet with name Harriet Tometh inside. Finder please return to 826 26th st.; reward.

LOST—A small grayish brown Scotch terrier puppy. Return 110 Moss ave.; reward. Phone Piedmont 242.

LOST—Silk umbrella, sterling silver and pearl handle. Return same to 611 13th st. and receive reward.

LOST—Crescent pin set with pearls and small diamond. Return to 961 8th ave., Oakland, reward.

LOST—Hat, Monday evening, near 28th and San Pablo. 1928 Market st.; reward.

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SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE

J. C. WILSON, STOCKBROKER

Regular Morning Session, Nov. 28.

Miscellaneous Bonds—	Bid	Ask
Associated Oil Co 5s	95¼	97½
Bay Counties P Co 5s	102¾	..
Cal Central G E 6s	109½	..
Cal G & E Cor M&C 5s	88	..
California St Cable Co 5s	102¾	..
Edison L & Power 6s	108¾	..
Hawaiian Com & S 5s	02¼	104
Honolulu R T & L Co 6s	104	105½
Los Angeles Ry 5s	07½	..
North Pac Coast R R 6s	102	..
Northern Cal Power Co 5s	97	..
Oakland Gas Light & H 5s	101½	..
Oakland Transit Co 6s	..	114
Do 5s	102½	..
Oakland Traction Con 5s	93	..
Oakland Traction Co 5s	..	92
Oakland Water Co gtd 5s	91	93½
Pacific Electric Ry Co 5s	111	105
Pacific Light & Power C 5s	91	..
Pacific Tel & Tel Co 6s	..	22½
Sacto Elec Gas & Ry 5s	99¼	99¾
S F & S J Valley Ry 5s	..	115¼
S F, Oak & San Jose Ry 5s	103¾	104½
S F French Ry of Cal 6s	128	..
S F R R Co 1st Refdg 4s	95¼	96
S V Water Co Gen Mtg 4s	86½	88¼
United R R of S F 4s	72	72½
Water Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Spring Valley Water Co	81	81½
Insurance Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Fireman's Fund	..	145
Bank Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
American National Bank	..	127½
Anglo-Cal Ltd ($50 paid)	..	82
Bank of California	357	360
First National Bank of S F	216	..
London Paris Nat'l Bank	120	118
Mercantile Trust Co	235	245
Powder Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Giant Consolidated Co	..	77
Sugar Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Hawaiian Com'l & Sugar Co	98	..
Honokaa Sugar Co	12¾	14
Hutchinson Sugar Plantation	17¾	18¾
Makaweli Sugar Co	34¼	35
Onomea Sugar Co	37½	..
Union Sugar Co	17	..
Miscellaneous Stocks—	Bid.	Ask.
Alaska Packers' Association	56¾	..
Associated Oil Co	93¾	94¼
Cal Fruit Canners' Assn	106½	108½
Cal Wine Assn	18	..
Pac Auxiliary Fire Alarm	3¼	..
Pac Tel & Tel (P&C)	..	82
do do (Common)	13¾	..

SALES.

6000 Cal Gas & Ele	83
3000 U R R 4s	72
2000 Sp V W 5s	86¼
2000 do	86⅛
32 Hawaiian	98
200 Hutchinson	18
10 Pac Tel Co	137¾
10 do	138¼
30 So V W	37½
20 do	37¾
50 do	37½

Lead and Copper

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Lead, 4.27½@4.32½c.
Copper quiet, 14@14¼c.
Silver, 48c.

SHORT INTEREST IN SOUTHERN PACIFIC

Nervy War Said to Exist in Wall Street Among the Insiders of the Steel Trust.

WALL STREET, NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Professional operations today increased the certainty of an upheaval in the market. The short interest in Southern Pacific is so great that the stock is liable to leap 10 points any day. So are the short side and it is understood that they are planning a raid early in the week. If this raid is attempted it will be one of the times when it will be absolutely necessary to buy stocks of any kind. The shorts are trying to drill into a dynamite bomb.

Consolidated Gas furnished most of the excitement today, fluctuating wildly between 167 and 162. Alton and "Clover Leaf" were active and strong on earnings. A pool in Missouri, Kansas & Texas is circulating a rumor that Alton is going to buy that road, but the report is officially denied.

Nervy Steel War

There is a merry war among the insiders of the Steel Trust. It seems that Andrew Carnegie, holding first mortgage bonds of the trust and having nothing to lose by a fight, has outflanked the management of the great corporation. Officials of the steel trust, being compelled to keep one eye on the stock ticker to protect their speculations and another on the mills to hold their jobs, are too busy to talk. But it is said that the cost of making rails has increased several dollars a ton through a decrease in labor efficiency. In the old days Charles M. Schwab and his fellow managers were in personal contact with every workman and the output per man was much greater, considering the machinery used, than it is today. The Wall street developments of the trust line put the making of steel into the hands of some very able lawyers and brokers, leaving some of the most expert steel makers without employment. If Carnegie should round up the unemployed steel experts he could start a rival trust and would make tariff reform a secondary consideration.

Gets Body Blow

There are vague hints that Morgan and Carnegie are not working in complete harmony. Carnegie's magazine article on tariff reform was a body blow to the trust. Carnegie's refusal to testify before the tariff commission is believed to have been in answer to appeals from Wall street to keep still. The present directors of the steel trust have certainly lined their opportunity to get rich, and it does not necessarily follow that they shall inherit the kingdom of steel forever.

The number of shares of stock sold today was 474,854 against 378,317 last year.

The par value of bonds sold today was $2,968,000 against $3,082,000 a year ago.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS BY ASSOCIATED PRESS

Amalgamated Copper	85¼
American Car and Foundry	46¾
American Locomotive	56⅛
Am. Smelt. and Refining	95⅞
Am. Smelt. and Ref. pref	106½
American Sugar Refining	132¾
Anaconda Mining Co	61
Atchison	98¼
Atchison preferred	101
Baltimore and Ohio	109½
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	55¼
Canadian Pacific	175⅞
Chesapeake and Ohio	49
Chicago Northwestern	176
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	160
Colorado Fuel and Iron	38¾
Colorado and Southern	48
Delaware and Hudson	177
Denver and Rio Grande	31
Denver and Rio Grande pref	78
Erie	33¼
Great Northern preferred	140¾
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	74¼
Illinois Central	147
International Paper	13¼
Interborough-Met	14¼
Interborough-Met pref	35¼
Louisville and Nashville	122
Missouri Pacific	48¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	37¾
National Biscuit	91¾
National Lead	43¾
New York Central	114¼
Northern Pacific	142⅝
Pacific Mail	32¼
Pennsylvania	129⅞
People's Gas	101½
Pressed Steel Car	39¾
Pullman Palace Car	172
Reading	140
Rock Island Co	22¼
Rock Island Co. pref	51½
Southern Pacific	119¼
Southern Railway	24¾
Union Pacific	184½
United States Steel	56⅜
United States Steel pref	113⅛
Wabash	15
Do preferred	35¼
Western Union	70¼
Wisconsin Central	30¾
Do preferred	63¼
Sales total 472,269.	

J. C. WILSON'S QUOTATIONS

	Opening	Last Sale.
Amalgamated Copper	85¼	85⅛
American Car Foundry	46¼	46¾
American Can	29¾	29¾
Do preferred	78½	79⅛
American Locomotive	56¼	56⅞
American Smelt and Ref Co.	95	93⅞
American Sugar	133½	132¾
Anaconda Copper	51	51
Atchison	98¼	98¼
Do preferred	100½	101
Baltimore and Ohio	109¼	108¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	55¼	55½
Canadian Pacific	176⅞	175¾
Central Leather	29¼	29
Chesapeake and Ohio	47⅞	48
Chicago Gt Western	17⅞	17½
Chicago, Mil and St Paul	159⅞	160
Chicago and Northwestern	176½	176
Colorado Fuel and Iron	39	39
Colorado Southern	49	48⅞
Do 1st pfd	59⅞	70
Do 2d pfd	63⅞	63¾
Consolidated Gas	166	162¾
Denver and Rio Grande	32¾	33
Erie	33¼	33¼
do 1st pfd	47¼	47¼
Greene Can Copper	11¼	11½
General Electric	165¾	159
Illinois Central	146⅞	147
Louisville and Nashville	122¼	122
Manhattan	147⅞	148
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	38¾	37¾
Do preferred	71½	71
Missouri Pacific	64	63½
National Lead	43⅞	43½
New York Central	117⅛	116¾
New York, Ont and West	43¾	43¾
Norfolk and Western	84¼	86
North American	77	77½
Northern Pacific	142¾	142¾
Pacific Mail	31⅞	32¼
Pennsylvania Ry	129⅞	129¾
People's Gas	101½	101½
Pressed Steel Car	39¼	39¾
Reading	140¾	140
Republic S. and I.	29¾	29¾
Do preferred	87¾	87¾
Rock Island Co	23⅛	23¼
Do preferred	49¾	51⅛
St Louis and S F 2d pfd	34⅞	35
Southern Pacific	119½	119¼
Do preferred	123	123
Southern Railway	25	25
Do preferred	57¾	57⅞
Tennessee Copper	44¼	14
Texas Pacific	32½	32¼
Toledo, St. L. and W.	39¼	39⅞
Do preferred	62	62½
Union Pacific	184½	134¼
Do preferred	96	96½
United Ry 4s	71@73	71@73
U. S. Rubber pfd	106½	108½
U. S. Steel	56⅞	56¾
Do preferred	112⅞	113
Wabash	15	15
Do preferred	35¼	35¼
Western Union	70¼	71½
Wisconsin Central	30¾	30⅞
Do preferred	63¼	63½

Money Market

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Money on call nominal.

Time loans nominal; 60 days, 2¾@3 per cent; 90 days, 3 per cent; six months, 3½ per cent.

Wall Street Close

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Close: Prime mercantile paper, 3¾@4½ per cent.

Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at $4.8430@4.8435 for 60 day bills, and at $4.8620@4.8665 for demand.

Commercial bills, $4.84@4.84½.
Bar silver, 48c.
Mexican dollars, 46c.
Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular.

DIED.

BRANCH—In Oakland, Cal., November 26, 1908, Etta, beloved wife of George W. Branch and loving mother of Mabel Branch, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Robertson of Los Angeles, Cal., a native of Kansas, aged 19 years 8 months 14 days.

**Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral Monday, November 30, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m., from the funeral chapel of E. James Finney, 528 Eighteenth street, between Telegraph and San Pablo avenues. Interment Mt. View Cemetery.

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WHEAT MARKET

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Decreased receipts in the northwest caused moderate strength in the local wheat market today, but the volume of trade was small owing to a scarcity of offerings. Commission houses were the principal bidders. Prices at the start were a shade to ⅛@⅜c higher and the advance was well maintained during the early part of the day. December opened at $1.03⅝ and sold up to $1.04⅝.

Close—Wheat, December, $1.03⅝@1.03⅝; May, $1.08⅛; July, $1.01⅜@1.01½.

Corn—November and December, 62½@62⅝c; May, 62½c; July and September, 72c.

Oats—December, 48½c; May, 50⅝c; July, 46¼c.

Rye—Cash, 75@76c; December, 74@75c; May, 79@79¼c.

Barley—Cash, 58@64c.

Clover November, $8.25; March, $9.50.

Timothy—November, $3.25; March, $3.55.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Wheat steady. No trading. Cash, $1.62½@1.67½.

Barley easy; May, $1.46¼@1.47; December, $1.41@1.42¾; cash, $1.42½@1.45.

Corn steady; large yellow, $1.85@1.90.

PORTLAND, Ore., Nov. 28.—Wheat, club, 89c; blue stem, 95c; red Russian, 84c, valley, 91c.

LIVERPOOL, Nov. 28.—Close: wheat, December, 7s 1¾d; March, 7s 8¾d; May, 7s 8½d. Weather overcast.

Live Stock Market

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Cattle—Receipts, 20,000, market steady, beeves, $3.30@7.60; Texans, $3.40@4.30; westerns, $3.15@5.50; stockers and feeders, $2.00@4.75; cows and heifers, $1.50@4.80; calves, $5@6.75.

Hogs—Receipts about 30000; market 5c lower. Lights, $4.75@5.60, mixed, $5.15@5.45; heavy, $5.20@5.80; rough, $5.20@5.30; good to choice heavy, $5.30@5.80; pigs, $2.50@4.80; bulk, $5.20@5.65.

Sheep—Receipts about 20000; market steady, native, $2.50@4.75; western, $2.60@4.60; yearlings, $4.10@5.85; lambs, $4.00@6.60; western, $4.00@6.35.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 28.—Butter, fancy creamery, 34@35c; creamery seconds, 28c; fancy dairy, 24c; dairy seconds, 20c; pickled, 23½c.

Eggs, store, 31c; fancy ranch, 32c; eastern, 27c.

Cheese, new, 13@15½c; Young America, 16@16½c; eastern, 17c.

Butter, Eggs, Cheese

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Butter steady, creamery specials, 31½c.

Cheese firm, unchanged.

Eggs irregular; State, Pennsylvania and nearby white fair to choice, 46@46c; do brown and mixed fair to choice, 32@39c, western seconds, 36@32c.

CHICAGO, Nov. 28.—Butter steady; creameries, 22@30c; dairies, 19½@25c.

Eggs, strong; fresh, 29c.

Cotton Market

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bid: November, 9.26c; December, 9.24c; January, 9.09c; February, 9.00c; March, 9.00c; April, 9.02c; May, 9.03c; June, 9.02c; July, 9.01c; August, 8.93c.

Spot closed quiet; middling uplands, 9.45c; middling gulf, 9.70c. No sales.

Sugar and Coffee

NEW YORK, Nov. 28.—Refined sugar quiet, crushed, 5.60c; powdered, 5.00c; granulated, 4.90c; coffee quiet, No. 7 Rio, 6½c; No. 4 Santos, 8¾c.

Wool Market

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 28.—Wool firm; territory and western mediums, 17@21c; fine medium, 15@17c; fine, 12@14c.

SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND EXCHANGE BOARD

ZADIG & CO., STOCKBROKERS

Regular Morning Session, Nov. 28.
CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Belcher	23	26
Best and Belcher	41	42
Confidence	40	45
Con. Virginia	76	78
Crown Point	34	40
Exchequer	24	30
Hale and Norcross	42	44
Mexican	94	95
N. Gould and Curry	28	..
Ophir	1 80	1 85
Savage	24	25
Sierra Nevada	26	28
Silver Hill	27	..
Yellow Jacket	43	45

SALES.

100 Belcher	23
200 Best and Belcher	41
500 Con. Virginia	76
100 Hale and Norcross	42
100 Mexican	98
100 Mexican	97
200 Mexican	92
1300 Mexican	94
100 Mexican	95
100 Ophir	1 85
100 Sierra Nevada	27

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Daniel H. Donohue, deceased.

Notice of sale of real estate.

Under and by authority of an order granted by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, on the 30th day of October, 1908, I will sell at public auction at salesrooms of A. J. Munro, at 1007 Clay street, Oakland, California, the following described real estate, to wit:

All that right, title and interest of Daniel H. Donohue, deceased, in and to all that certain lot or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the Township of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows, and particularly described as follows, to wit:

Lot number Thirteen (13) in Block Letter "F" of the Klinkner Tract, filed in the office of the Recorder of the County of Alameda, March 21st, 1889.

Said sale will be made at public auction on Saturday, the 5th day of December, 1908, at twelve o'clock noon of said day, at the auction rooms of A. J. Munro, at 1007 Clay street, Oakland, California.

Bidders will be required to deposit with the auctioneer at sale ten (10) per cent of the amount of their bid, payable to the undersigned, and bids to be forfeited unless purchase price be paid within ten days from date of said sale. The acceptance of any bid shall be subject to the approval of the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Dated November 11th, 1908.

GRAY, Administrator of the estate of Daniel H. Donohue, deceased.

GEO. W. REED & JOHN H. DE LANCEY, Attorneys for administrator, Union Savings Bank Build., Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of William L. Lamb, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of William L. Lamb, deceased, and for the issuance to Andrew Thomson of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in the Court, and that Friday, the 11th day of December, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House, in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been and is appointed for hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated Nov. 27th, 1908.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. V. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
COOGAN & KAUN, Attorneys for Petitioner, Merchants' Exchange Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

All bills against the Decedent should be presented at the office of the undersigned, corner 11th and Broadway, Oakland, Cal., in the city of Oakland, County of Alameda, State of California, within four months from date hereof, or the same will be barred by the statute of limitations.

The First National Bank of Oakland, a corporation, Executor of the Estate of Geo. S. Leach, deceased.

Dated November 27, 1908.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. V. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
DE GOGORZA, Attorney for Executor, First National Bank Building, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Geo. S. Leach, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Geo. S. Leach, deceased, and for the issuance to The First National Bank of Oakland, a corporation, of letters testamentary thereon, and that Friday, the 11th day of December, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House, in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been and is appointed for hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated Nov. 27th, 1908.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk.
By W. V. CRANE, Deputy Clerk.
DE GOGORZA, Attorney for Petitioner, First National Bank Building, Oakland, California.

NOTICE OF TIME SET FOR PROVING WILL, ETC.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of Alan Hendrie, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Alan Hendrie, deceased, and for the issuance to Louis C. Winkelmeier of letters testamentary thereon, will be heard by the Court, and that the 7th day of December, A. D. 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of Department No. 4, of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been

MOULTON TO PAY BIG FINE

DID NOT PROTECT POLICY HOLDERS

Defendant Is Former Major-General of Illinois National Guard and Head of Knights Templar of United States.

CHICAGO, Nov 28 — Judge Kohlsaat of the Federal court yesterday gave a decree in favor of the Western Life Indemnity Company for $ 00 000 against General George M Moulton, its president, and Edward I Rosenfeld former manager, as well as a decree for $125,000 against William H Gray who preceded Rosenfeld as manager

Judge Kohlsaat s ruling primarily was based on the proposition that the three defendants failed to pay adequate attention to the protection of the policyholders

At the time when the improper transaction took place in 1905, Moulton was major-genera of the Illinois National Guard and head of the Knights Templar in the United States It was in the year mentioned that the Knights Templars and Masons Life Indemnity Company became he Western Life Indemnity company.

Gray Must Re und.

Gray was paid $125,000 by Rosenfeld, practically out of the assets of the company, to assign his contract as manager to Rosenfeld This sale of the contract was held by Judge Kohlsaat to be illegal, inasmuch as it was a contract of trust and dealt with a fiduciary position and so could not be assigned. Gray is now ordered to return the amount

Moulton got an increase of salary when Rosenfeld became manager under the illegal transfer of Gray s contract to him, the increase being from $1500 annually to $10 000 annually. Because of this increase, Moulton, in Judge Kohlsaat s view, shut his eyes to Rosenfold's operations and permitted things to be done which were against the interests of the policyholders, who were looking to President Moulton for protection Judge Kohlsaat severely condemns the breaches of trust involved

The $200 000 for which the decree is given against Moulton and Rosenfeld according to the evidence was the amount ostensibly paid by the Western Indemnity company in 1905 for its of policyholders in an alleged worthless company

Helped Diseased Companies.

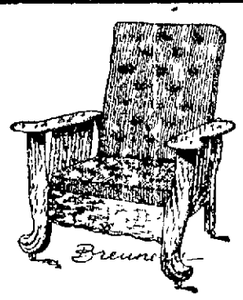
It was asserted Rosenfeld had reinsured some thirty defaulting fraternal and assessment insurance companies in the Life Insurance Company of Pennsylvania, of which he was manager, giving it a quantity of substandard business with liens against most of the policies, so that very much less than their face value would be realized in case of death.

Coming to Chicago Rosenfeld persuaded Gray to turn over to him (Gray s' contract as mentioned At this time the Gray contract had but four years to run and Judge Kohlsaat points out that the mere offer of $125,000 by Rosenfeld to Gray for a contract which was then worth comparatively little should have been enough to put Gray on his guard in the interests of the policyholders.

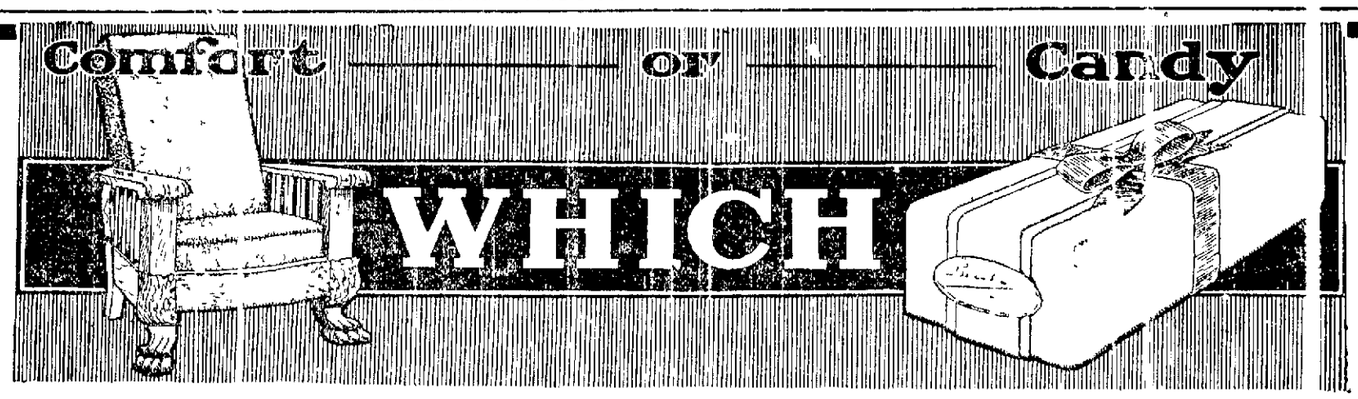
Worthless List.

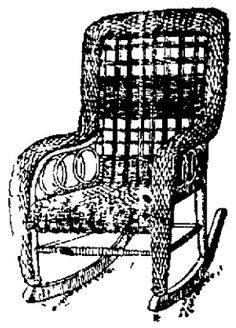
Rosenfeld succeeded Gray as manager, and then proceeded to take $200 000 in assets of the Western Life Indemnity company for the ostensible purpose of purchasing a list of the policyholders of the Pennsylvania company, which list was declared valueless With this money it was declared, Rosenfeld repaid the $125,000 which he had borrowed to pay Gray and then appropriated the remaining $75,000 himself

The present case grew out of an attempt to have the Western Life Indemnity company purchase the Security Life of Virginia in 1905 An injunction was secured which blocked the Security Life deal and then the policyholders, headed by Allen W Field, started to secure the correction of the original Pennsylvania deal which was held to be fraudulent The case was referred to a master-in-chancery, who made a report now affirmed in full by Judge Kohlsaat



The Morris chair is a tired man's best friend This chair comes in old oak golden or early English finish and mahogany reversible velour cushions At Breuner s .. $15.75





If you once own a wicker rocker you will always have one they are so cool and comfortable This rocker is made of solid willow boughs Most stores charge $5.50 At Breuner s $3.75

40 minutes of sugar or 40 years of fond remembrances? The price of a trinket that's broken by New Year's is sufficient deposit for a sensible gift---the balance you may pay in the coming months---small payments that you will never miss.

A Dollar or Two Deposit Will Do, Balance in 1909

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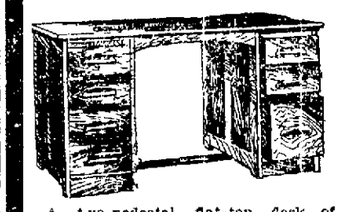

A two-pedestal flat-top desk of solid golden oak top measures 8x4 inches At Breuner s $19.85

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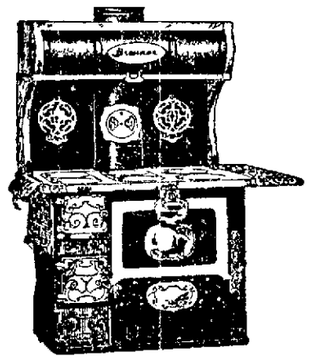

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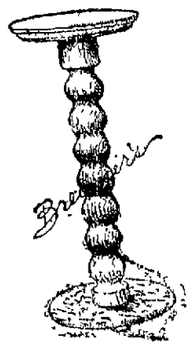

A Pedestal adds the finishing touch to your parlor or drawing room The one pictured is of solid golden oak 42 inches high . $4.95

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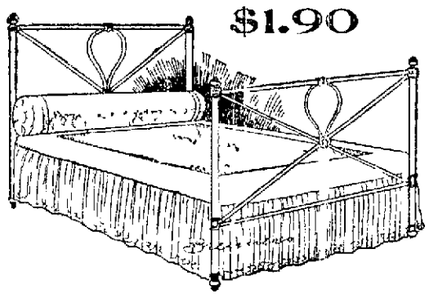

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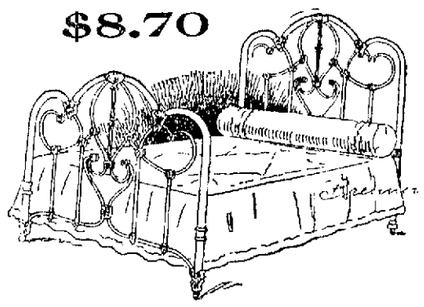

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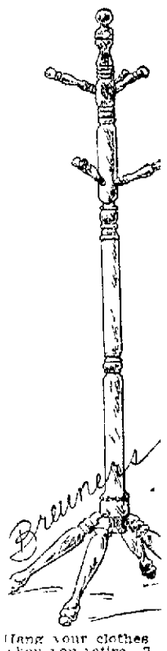
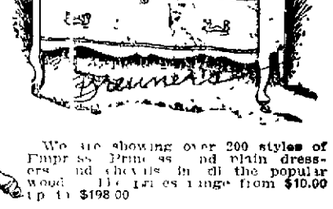
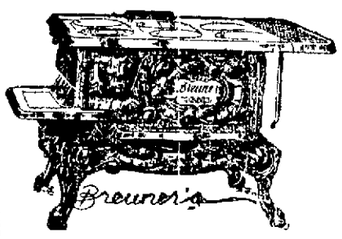


Hang your clothes when you retire This costumer is of solid golden oak $1.95



We are showing over 200 styles of Empress Princess and plain dressers and chevals in all the popular woods Prices range from $10.00 up to $198.00



The Breuner cast range a cook stove that is made after the plans and ideas of California housewives Very little nickel work to keep polished burns either wood or coal check draft that checks the heat from the ordinary and water-back connections . . $27.00

That little heater we have been telling you about You can heat a room with old newspapers It's price at Breuner s . $2.70

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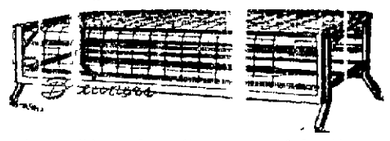
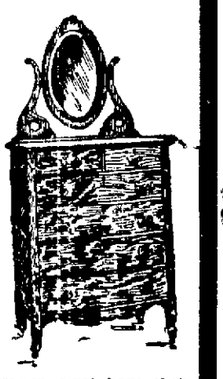
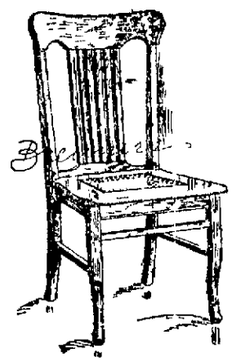


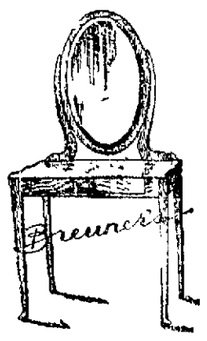
A sensible and sanitary piece of furniture—a couch by day and a bed by night It is made of solid oak and opens to full-size A Breuner . $4.95



Women must have their dressers but men want chiffoniers This one is of solid golden oak with French plate mirror. A $27.00 value for $19.85



A row of samples 3 blocks long The chair pictured is made of solid golden oak cane seat full box At Breuner s $2.95



A pretty face loves a pretty mirror We are showing a well chosen assortment of dressing tables in all the various woods The price range from $14.20 up to $100.00

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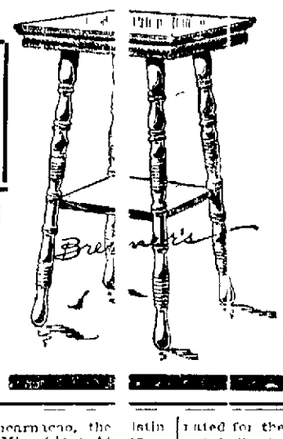

Put a table in a room and it looks half furnished This center table is of mahoganized birch and the top measures 20 inches At Breuner s . . $2.25

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SANTA ROSA ELKS TO RAISE CHRISTMAS FUND

SANTA ROSA, Nov 28 —Everything is in readiness for the grand entertainment tomorrow night, under the auspices of the Elks, for the benefit of the poor children's Christmas tree and Christmas dinner funds The best talent of Santa Rosa and Petaluma will appear and the Elks expect to realize a handsome sum

L. A. MAY AMEND CHARTER AT POLLS

City Council Votes to Hold Special Election on February to Vote on Proposed Changes in Law.

LOS ANGELES Nov 28 — The Los Angeles city council voted last night to call a special election for February 2 in which the voters of this city will pass upon some of the most important charter amendments yet submitted to them and which if adopted will make vital changes in the present method of municipal government

The election deals with a large number of propositions It proposes among other things to elect all city councilmen at large instead of by wards, to grant authority to the city to apply municipal power heat and illumination by acquiring plant already in operation or by erecting power to be supplied by the Owens River Aqueduct to grant authority to the city to build docks public wharves and docks both in the city and county and provide safeguards against dishonesty in the operations of such municipal projects to provide for primary nominating elections to increase the pay of the mayor up to $8 00 and the councilmen to $400 a year and many other city officers by abolish boards of police fire and park commissioners and legalize the power of such boards with the city council to extend the life of public franchises from twenty-one to thirty-five years to extend civil service and make many other reforms

The Municipal League and other local civic organizations caused the appointment of a charter revision committee, which proposed most of the reforms to be voted on

ARRESTED FOR MAILING PROHIBITED POST CARDS

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov 28—Miss Amelia Cassasa was arrested by Deputy United States Marshal Arnerich in Santa Rosa yesterday on a warrant issued by Commissioner Heacock charging her with posting prohibited cards to her brother in law Frank Cassasa of the same city. She was released on furnishing bail in Santa Rosa

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PORTUGUESE TO PLAN GALA EVENT

Will Celebrate Next Tuesday, the Occasion Being the Anniversary of the Restoration of Independence.

The national day of the Portuguese the 1st of December anniversary of the restoration of the independence of Portugal is going to be celebrated in this city this year under the auspices of the union lodge of the Portuguese society of this state with headquarters in this city.

Since the San Francisco fire that lodge has been easily the most prominent in the movement and the multitude of things in that city. For the union lodge that Portuguese society recently took the celebration in their own hands and started in Oakland as the place for the annual celebration of the Portuguese national day. Oakland is the headquarters of the union and the lodge and Alameda county is the place.

So next Tuesday every Portuguese will be certainly glad when the literary exercises music and grand ball will be enjoyed by hundreds of the more fortunate members of that city.

There will be two orators of the day One is the Portuguese Innocence will be the most Rev Bishop of Lorenzo Marques who is visiting this state. The other orator is a native and graduate from a Portuguese father Edward A Cunha from Stanford University.

Between the two orations two old military songs of Portugal and the national hymn of the restoration and the American national anthem will be sung by a chorus of small girls the soloists being Miss Sonia Mendes Incarnacao, the gifted basso and Miss Clara Alves

One attraction will be the exhibition of fencing as the cups, medals and county officials present

Bettencourt in Camera, commander of the union lodge will open the exercises and recognize the supreme officers of the P. L. C. and introduce the general of Portugal who will be present

After the exercises a glass of vino do Porto will be offered to the invited guests This wine has been imported for the occasion and is 16 years old.

A ball will follow till 1 a. m.

If the weather will permit, the band of the uniform rank will parade Eighth and Washington streets and Broadway, leaving the hall at 7 15 p m.

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